



Cool Thoughts for a Hot Day

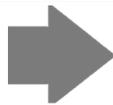
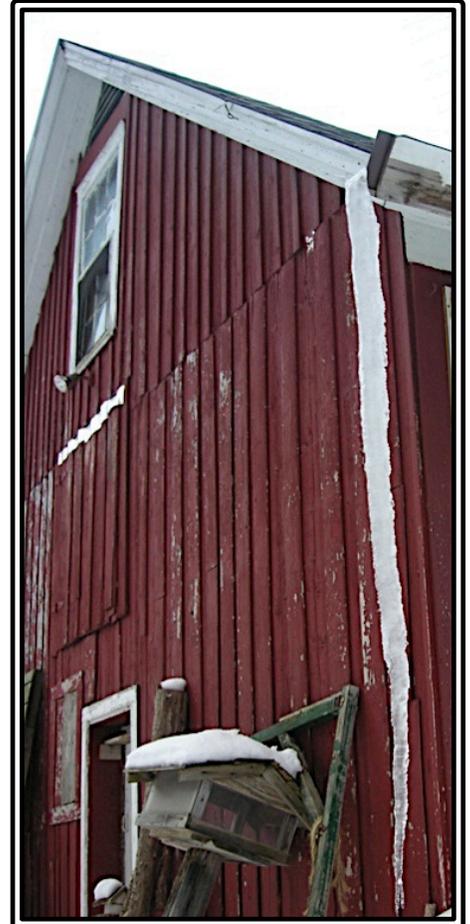
Left:

Icicles headed into a window at the Griffiths' house, in March.

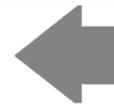
Photo by Barb Griffith

Right:

A 74-inch icicle sword was hanging from the eaves of Jonathan Gibson's home on March 25th. He says it's the longest icicle he's ever seen on his home in over 30 years.



Shrewsbury School District Bond Reconsideration Vote



Informational Meeting: Monday, September 9, 2013 at 7pm at Meeting House on Lottery Road

Date of Vote: Tuesday, September 10, 2013

Polls open **10am to 7pm** at the Shrewsbury Community Meeting House, 88 Lottery Road

Early / Absentee ballots will be available no later than *August 1, 2013*. Please contact the Town Clerk for Early / Absentee Ballots (492-3511 or shrewsburyclerk@vermontel.net) Last Day to vote early will be Monday, September 9, 2013 at 3pm

Last day to register for this vote will be Wednesday **September 4, 2013** at 5pm.

If you are interested in working the polls and/or counting ballots, please contact the Town Clerk.

Submitted by Mark Goodwin, Town Clerk

Editors' Note: Information regarding the Bond Reconsideration Vote can be found on **pages 5 & 6** of this edition of the *Times of Shrewsbury*.

LETTERS TO THE EDITORS

CCC Road Gated Again

The gate is closed again just before the Shrewsbury Peak Trailhead/Stone Chimney parking lot because “someone keeps moving the barricades past the Black Swamp Road” reports our local forestry department.

“No new news on the CCC Road repair. The Dept. of Buildings and General Services is developing a contract as I write and we are still hopeful of construction by September,” Lisa Thornton wrote in an email to the Church on July 19.

Submitted by Karen Lorentz

Overwhelming Response

The new Clarendon Store / Loretta's Good Food Deli would like to thank all the fine people we have had the good fortune to meet over the last few weeks since our opening. Your response has been overwhelming, and heartwarming. We took a risk and, thank the lord, it's working! Loretta and I thank you.

Please don't forget our great community bulletin board, leave items with cashier and we'll post them. Index card size except Town and charity notices please.

Again—we are thrilled to be a small part of this community. So many people have helped us in so many ways.

*Thank you,
Loretta and Dennis Clark*

Shrewsbury Road Crew 911

It was the end of June when almost without a sound, a monster-sized branch of a willow tree just across the street from our home crashed down blocking Keiffer Road. As Lee and I looked in amazement at the scene, the smallest FedEx truck appeared, slowed down, and then undeterred sped under the limb. No 100-year-old willow was going to delay the delivery of his FedEx packages!

We called Jamie and left a message that a tree was down on Keiffer Road and asked if he could help.

Within just a few minutes, Shrewsbury Road Crew 911 arrived, like the First Army. Three beautiful trucks, a Cat crawler with backhoe, a wood chipper and several well-protected and skilled road crew members. They set up the traffic cones, surveyed the job and went to work.

After about an hour the entire mess was gone and so was our great Road Crew. But it's nice to know they are on call when a big job has to be done. Good work guys. Thank you.

Lee and Dick Rohe

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The Times of Shrewsbury

The *Times of Shrewsbury* is published monthly February through December. It is compiled by volunteers from material submitted by residents with the goal being to keep townspeople informed of what is happening in Shrewsbury. The views and opinions expressed in articles are solely those of the author and not necessarily those of the editors.

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run. If the named individual or organization indicates in writing to the writer and to the *Times* that they choose not to respond, the letter will run. If the named entity responds, the response and initial letter will run in the same issue.

There is no charge for: jokes, poems, essays, nature reports, family event announcements, or feature articles or letters that are non-political and non-commercial.

Articles and Advertisements: Deadline for submission is the 20th of the month prior to publication; exceptions will be announced in the prior month's *Times*. If you have any questions, please email or call Sandra Korinchak at 773-8930 ext. 223 or Chryl Martin at 492-2244.

Best Formats: *Articles:* Word or in an email message with no formatting. *Photos:* JPG. *Ads:* PDF file or Word document.

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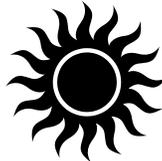
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SHREWSBURY COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Aug 4	7:30pm	*Mettawee Theater performance on the grounds of the Mountain School
Aug 6	7pm	*Shrewsbury Historical Society meeting at the Museum
Aug 10	11am	*4 th Annual Pig Roast and Boot Jack Competition at Rainbow Riding Center
Aug 10	5:30pm	*Free Community Supper by the Community Church at the Meeting House
Aug 11	7:30pm	*Martha Richter (Skelly) plays recordings and talks about her life: at Library
Aug 13	12noon	Senior luncheon at Rutland Country Club. Please call Roxanne Ramah at 492-3675 or email at rramah@vermontel.net for reservations.
Aug 14	12noon	*Prayer Shawl Group meets at the home of Judy Pitts. Please call Judy at 775-0678 if you plan to attend. Bring bag lunch and your knitting or crocheting.
Aug 15	7-9pm	*Computer Office Hours with Scott Garren at the Library
Aug 15	6:30pm	*Cold River Management Plan public meeting at Clarendon Grange Community Center
Aug 17	6:30pm	*Haystack Dinner followed by Street Dance at the Library
Aug 18	3pm	*Science Book Club at the Library. Contact Scott Garren 492-2284 for details.
Aug 18	4pm	*Book Club discussion at the Library
Aug 28		School begins at SMS. (Registration is open to all Shrewsbury residents.)
Aug 29	7-9pm	*Computer Office Hours with Scott Garren at the Library
Sept 4		*Last day to register to vote in Bond Reconsideration Vote

* see elsewhere in newsletter for details



**Deadline for submission to
Times of Shrewsbury is by 5:00
pm on the 20th of each month.**

REGULAR MEETINGS and EVENTS

Board of Selectmen Meeting	1st & 3 rd Wednesdays—7:00pm at Town Office
Bone Builders	Tuesdays & Thursdays—9:00am at Meeting House
Library Trustees' Meeting	2 nd Tuesday—7:00pm at Shrewsbury Library
Mill River Union School Board Mtg	1 st & 3 rd Wednesdays—7:00pm at Mill River Union High School
Pierce's Store Take-Out Meals	Friday nights
Planning Commission	1 st & 3 rd Mondays—7:30pm at Town Office
Religious Society of Friends (Quakers)	Sundays—10:00am at Shrewsbury Library, upstairs
Shrewsbury Community Church Worship	Sundays—10:30am at Northam Church
Shrewsbury Historical Society Museum	Sundays—1-3pm--July 7 through October 27, 2013
Shrewsbury School District Board Mtg	2 nd & 4 th Mondays—6:30pm at Mountain School
Shrewsbury Sno-Birds	2 nd Tuesdays—7:00pm at the Snow Angel Tavern in Mendon
Shrewsbury Volunteer Fire Dept.	Thursdays—7:00pm at Cuttingsville Station
Conservation Commission	1 ST Tuesday—5pm at Town Office

Shrewsbury Town Website: www.shrewsburyvt.org

Town Clerk's Office 492-3511
Mon-Thurs 9am-3pm; Closed Friday

Cuttingsville Post Office 492-3585
Mon-Fri Counter 8am-11am & 12:30pm-4:30pm,
Lobby 7:30am-5:00pm
Saturday Counter 8am-10:30am; Lobby 7:30am-10:30am

Town Treasurer's Office
492-3558 or 492-3487
Wed 5pm-7pm

Transfer Station
Sun 8am-4pm & Wed 1pm-7pm

Meeting House 492-6050 (Reservations: 492-3649)
Health Officer Daphne LeaHemmer 773-7157
Emergency Management Bert Potter 773-2272

Shrewsbury Town Library 492-3410
Mon, Fri & Sat 10am-Noon
Tues & Thurs 7pm-9pm
Wed 10am-5pm AND 7pm-9pm

Ambulance 773-1700
CVPS power outage 1-800-451-2877
Medical—Fire—Police Emergency Dial 911
Rutland Hospital 775-7111

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SHREWSBURY VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT

The rains of June are a distant memory now and summer is in full swing. We have experienced a few violent thunderstorms, a little more rain and a surprisingly small amount of dangerous lightning. No doubt the rain has kept the threat of brush and forest fires low, however, all the water has created quickly changing driving conditions. The quick downpours may cause erosion to the side of the roads, and leave loose debris on the paved roads and make the dirt roads treacherous. Surface water on the roads can cause your vehicle's tires to lose contact with the road preventing you from controlling your vehicle. A good defense in these conditions is to slow down to give yourself ample time to respond to these quickly changing conditions.

We've had a variety of calls in the last month, some of them created by these changing weather conditions. The SVFD responded to a couple of vehicle rollovers, fortunately with no injuries. A wires down call, and mutual aid calls for a lightning strike and road blocked caused by flooding/mud slide. We continued summer maintenance, flushing more dry hydrants. Our in-house expert, Barry Griffith, provided the SVFD with an in-depth review of Long Trail and Appalachian Trail access and camp locations to better equip us for response to calls on the trail. We've had a few calls in the past for injured or lost hikers and Barry's knowledge of this trail system is of great assistance. We conducted a coin drop on Saturday, July 20, 2013 in front of John C. Stewart's. After 8 hours of hazardous duty in the road we raised \$2000.00 plus for the SVFD. It can be surprising to experience how a little change alone can collectively be a huge support!! Thanks to the many townspeople and passersby who donated to this fund raiser—it is truly humbling to see the support we receive throughout the year. We look forward to our annual FALL FUEL RAFFLE to be held in late September/October when we will be raffling off 100 gallons of fuel oil, 1 ton of wood pellets, and a cord of firewood. More info on this next month! Bob Snarski, Barry Griffith and Al Ridlon Sr. have vis-

ited several area cemeteries and installed past member grave markers and flags for some deceased members. If you know of a past member family who may want a grave marker, please contact any member of the SVFD.

The SVFD welcomes new member Seth Creed. Seth joined the Rutland Town Fire Department as a junior firefighter and progressed through their program completing Firefighter 1 course and associated training. Seth's experience, knowledge and firefighting skills will be a great addition. Congratulations and Thank You Seth for your voluntary commitment.

STAY FIRE SAFE!!!

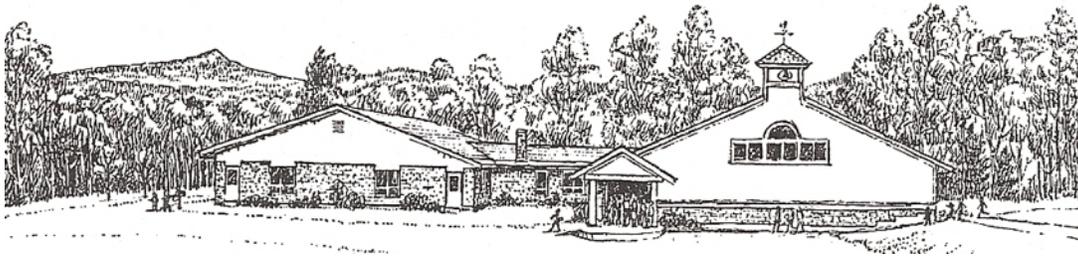
Submitted by Jack Perry

Remembering Peter Jack Carrara of Shrewsbury, Vermont November 2, 1952 - August 20, 1998



Fifteen years you have been gone yet in our hearts you still carry on. If you see this photo and it makes you smile, Peter was part of your life even for a little while!

Loving you and missing you!
Larry & Lila Carrara and Family



*****IMPORTANT NOTICE*****
Shrewsbury Mountain School
ROOF PROJECT BOND TO BE RECONSIDERED

On July 16 the School Board was notified by the Town Clerk that a petition was received, signed by 54 registered voters that requires the Board schedule a revote within 60 days for the Shrewsbury Mountain School Roof Project Bonding request that was approved on June 20. Needless to say, the Board is disappointed that the project is not able to be completed this summer, when students and staff are not in the building, as well as having to incur the expenses of another vote.

Our major concern is that delaying this project may result in damage to the integrity of the school building shell. We are unsure whether the project can still be completed this year should the bond be approved again. The bids we received are only valid for 30 days and there is a strong probability that the costs of the project may rise.

We hope the following will help you make an informed decision.

PROJECT NEED

The roof has been having ice dams and leakage issues for a number of years. The School Board has tried a variety of measures to address these issues including: widening the roof valleys, patching leaking sections of the roof, and completing an insulation project to correct heat leakage (the costs of the insulation project were largely paid for by a federal energy efficiency grant). Unfortunately, this past March and April the roof had some fairly major leaking again in the section joining the new and old building sections. Since this leaking occurred well after our budget had been prepared and after Town Meeting, the Board was not left with many choices. We chose to remediate the problem by requesting that townspeople approve a bond in June so that the roof project could be completed this summer, while school was out of session.

SCOPE OF PROJECT

John Berryhill and engineering staff from NBF Architects determined that the best, most effective way to

solve the leaking roof is to add insulation on the roof deck, before replacing the worn roof. Adding rigid foam insulation is crucial to prevent heat loss from the building. Minimizing heat loss from the roof deck will significantly reduce fuel usage. More importantly, it will prevent ice damming. A standing seam metal roof by itself would not solve the roof's problems. The steps needed:

- 1) Remove the two layers of existing shingles on the entire roof.
- 2) Install rigid foam boards (only in sections of the building that were inaccessible from the inside of the building when the insulation project happened a few years ago).
- 3) Install an ice and water shield over the complete roof deck.
- 4) Replace rotten fascia boards.
- 5) Build a small overhang area over the side entrance to prevent safety concerns of snow sliding off the roof.

John and a local estimating firm provided an estimate for the total project costs. The Board then requested that voters approve a bond not to exceed \$215,000 in the bond vote. This bond was approved on June 20. The Board then requested and received formal bids for the project that included costs for both standing seam metal roofing or architectural shingles. We were pleased with the bids that we received, with one company coming in well below the not-to-exceed bond amount of \$215,000 for both asphalt and standing seam roofing options.

WHY A BOND

The cost for this project is significant. We understand this and decided that the only way to finance a project of this size is to bond it. This allows the spreading of payments over 10 years with reasonable payments in each of those years. To those who ask, why not put the total amount into the budget and pay it in one year?: The method that the State uses to set our Education Tax Rate is very sensitive to cost spikes.

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Roof Project Bond to Be Reconsidered

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The addition of close to \$200,000 in a single year would almost surely result in our being placed in a penalty situation and taxed in a punitive manner that would make the project totally unaffordable.

WHERE TO GO FROM HERE

We want to stress that finishing insulating the roof deck of the building and replacing the roof is imperative to maintain the integrity of the school building shell. The Shrewsbury Mountain School is an asset to this community and delaying this project has the potential to significantly deteriorate the condition of the building. We believe that we are acting in the best interest of the town by both preserving a public building and providing a healthy and safe educational environment for the children of Shrewsbury.

At our July 22 meeting, we will be discussing the bids received for the roof project, whether the project can still be completed this year, when to hold the second vote on the bond, schedule an Informational Meeting, and how to get information out to the voters about the project. We encourage you attend the Informational Meeting with your questions, comments and concerns.

We thank you for your time and support for this project.

Sarah Bolster, 492-2159

Ed Hemmer, 773-7157

Adrienne Raymond, 492-3578

Shrewsbury Mountain School Board



The Morning Sky by Marguerite Ponton

I looked out at the morning sky
The day was bright and clear.
I felt a gladness in my heart,
And I wanted to give a cheer.

I looked out at the noonday sky,
Some clouds were hanging low,
But happiness was in my heart
And I hoped it would show.

I looked out at the evening sky
The sun had gone to rest,
And I was thankful for a pleasant day
For which I felt so blessed.

Bond Vote and Meeting Notice

The Shrewsbury School Board has scheduled the **Reconsideration of the roofing bond vote** for **September 10, 2013**, 10am to 7pm at the Meeting House on Lottery Road. The **Informational Meeting** will be **September 9, 2013**, at 7pm at the Shrewsbury Meeting House on Lottery Road. Formal Warnings will be posted around town. Please come to the meeting and please vote.

Submitted by Adrienne Raymond

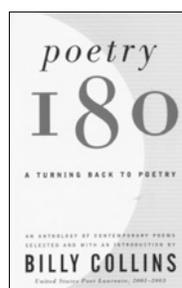
Reconsideration Bond Vote \$215,000 Renovation Project for Shrewsbury Mountain School

The petition for a reconsideration bond vote on the \$215,000. renovations project for the Shrewsbury Mountain School (SMS) was submitted to the Town Clerk on July 16, 2013. Per Department of Elections, the Board of Directors of SMS has 15 days to schedule a vote and 60 days from the date of the petition to have a vote. The vote will be warned 30 days prior to voting day. Warnings are posted at Town Office, Pierce's, Meeting House, Post Office, and *Rutland Herald*. You can also contact Town Clerk.

Roof issue was explained by the School Board in the June 2013 *Times of Shrewsbury* and voting results listed in July 2013 issue. Voter turnout for June 10 information meeting (about 15 people) and the June 20 vote (17.9% of registered voters) was very low. At the June 10 information meeting, there was a presentation followed by a question and answer period. A handout was given detailing the \$215,000 estimate which does not include architectural fees.

A reconsideration vote allows townspeople more time to discuss this important issue and contact the Board of Directors at SMS with questions or concerns. Look for date of vote to take place in August or September. Please vote. Early and absentee ballots are available from Town Clerk.

Submitted by Virginia Gundersen, 492-3726



As part of the Vermont Humanities Council's state-wide "Vermont Reads" program, the Times of Shrewsbury and the Shrewsbury Library are encouraging Shrewsbury residents to submit poems they have written. We appreciate those who share their poetry for all to enjoy. Poems will be noted by the *Poetry 180* book cover in the Times through the month of September.

Tropical Storm Irene Damaged Bridges Update

Last month I updated you on all the Irene related bridge and culvert replacement work in Shrewsbury. To recap quickly, the Frank Lord Road, Freeman Brook Road and Old Plymouth Road bridges are complete. The design for the Sargent Brook bridge (first bridge towards the Governor Clement Shelter) is complete (by the Federal Highway Administration) and construction will begin July 2014. The second bridge in that location is being designed by Otter Creek Engineering and construction will occur next year immediately after the first bridge is complete.

The Town placed the replacement of the culvert just below Pierce's Store and the culvert at the Biddle Farm out for bids and has awarded that work to Markowski Excavating from Pittsford, for \$155,358 and \$132,756 respectively. Both prices were below both the engineer's estimate and FEMA's allowance, so funding will not be a problem. The precast concrete manufacturers are extremely backlogged because of all the Irene related work so you will not see any significant work on these projects until September or October. All work will be completed this year except for some spring cleanup.

Lastly, but certainly not least important, there has been some movement on the Upper Cold River Road landslide repair. After 1½ years of letters, reports, appeals, etc. with FEMA, the Town just received word that FEMA has approved the stone buttress option recommended by the Town's consultants and has set a project budget of \$362,000. However, this only 60% of the anticipated cost, based on estimates by the Town's geotechnical consultant. We have not yet received the detailed estimate that FEMA developed to come up with their project budget. It is possible they did not include an important element to hold the slope between the Cold River Road and the Upper Cold River Road. This will be chased down as soon as the information is received. But, the good news is, FEMA has decided to fund a solution, now we just have to work on the budget. So, there is hope.

I suspect that most folks do not realize the tremendous amount of work the Selectboard has put in over the past 2 years making sure the Town is able to get as much reimbursement from FEMA as possible, filling out endless amounts of paperwork, keeping track of multiple budgets, etc. Not exactly what any of these folks anticipated when they volunteered for the position. So, if you see a Selectman, give him a pat on the back and buy him an ice cream cone.

Mark Youngstrom, Otter Creek Engineering

Cold River Management Plan

The Cold River is the principal water feature in the Towns of Clarendon and Shrewsbury. Due to its mountainous setting and underlying geology, the Cold River is very powerful and dynamic during major flood events (i.e., Tropical Storm Irene). The road corridors and settlement patterns along the Cold River are especially susceptible to fluvial erosion; many areas of roadways, bridges, and some residences sustained severe damage during TS Irene. In response to damage sustained during TS Irene, and in an effort to understand and plan for stream channel instability and fluvial erosion hazards in the watershed, the stakeholders in the watershed have sought to develop a river corridor plan to guide future river management. The plan will allow for a much more comprehensive erosion hazard planning approach, in contrast to the conventional approach of multiple "spot fixes" with limited knowledge of the river system.

You are invited to come and hear a discussion of the Cold River Corridor Management Plan and discuss conservation, restoration, and flood-damage reduction strategies with state and federal experts.

**Cold River Management Plan Public Meeting
Thursday, August 15, 2013, 6:30pm
Clarendon Grange Community Center
Moulton Ave., North Clarendon, VT**

For more information:

Nanci McGuire, Manager

Rutland Natural Resources Conservation District

Telephone: 802-775-8034 ext. 117



News from The Transfer Station



Save a Tire

We've had several people get nails in their tires at the Transfer Station (including me!) so I watch closely for nails and screws in the parking area. Every time the Station is open I find a nail, so I've started saving them in a jar.



Check Out the Nail Jar

Please check for loose nails and screws in your trash and make sure they're packaged so that they won't fall onto the pavement and wind up in someone's tire. We'll all be happier about that, and don't forget to check out the nail jar to see how it fills up in the months ahead.

Bob Perry, Transfer Station Attendant

Local Writer Receives Awards



Author and journalist Karen Lorentz recently received writing awards from two prestigious national snow sport organizations. In June, she won the Snowsports Industries America (SIA) equipment writing contest for her article "In Snow Wear and Gear, Choices, High Tech Abounds," which appeared in the *The Mountain Times*. Karen receives a pair of skis of her choice for the prize.

Karen also received a Certificate of Honorable Mention for Feature Writing and Obermeyer clothing for taking runner-up in the North American Snowsports Journalists' Assoc. (NASJA) Harold Hirsch features competition. Her features included a story explaining why the Killington Village has never been built and was entitled "Facing obstacles: History lessons after an important apology bring hope for progress." It appeared in the May 23, 2012 *Mountain Times*. This was Lorentz's second Hirsch award. She previously received Honorable Mention for her book *The Great Vermont Ski Chase*, a guide to Vermont ski areas.

Her story "When Spirits Soar, Independence Through Sports" about the Vermont Adaptive Ski and Sports program at Pico was published in the Winter 2012 issue of *Rutland Magazine*. "That story was based on the sheer joy of seeing people with disabilities skiing and snowboarding. They really inspire me," Karen commented.

"Passion, Purple Pox, and a Profession: A Three-Generation Ski Tale" was published in *Okemo Magazine* about a mom/grandmother, son, and daughters/granddaughters who all became ski instructors thanks to the grandmother's father wanting a boy.

Karen also was the recipient of a Lifetime Achievement Award from the International Skiing History Association in 2006 for her ski books and articles. (She was the third Vermont writer and first and only woman to receive this award.)

In addition to histories of the Killington and Okemo Ski Resorts, she wrote the book *Good Vermonters* about the Pierce family and store (available at Pierce's Store). Altogether, she has written 7 books, edited four, and penned over 4,500 articles for various publications. She is currently working on a history of Vermont skiing and continues to freelance.

*Submitted by Karen Lorentz
Photo by former resident Barbara Frey*

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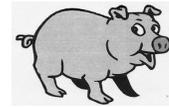
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Route 103, Downtown Cuttingsville

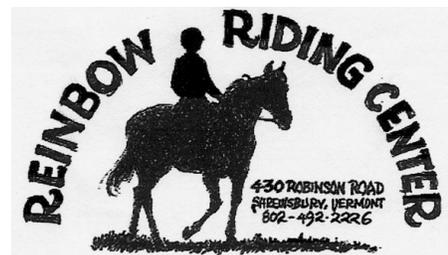
FOURTH ANNUAL PIG ROAST



**Saturday, August 10, 2013
11am, Eat at 2pm, Rain or Shine
430 Robinson Road, Shrewsbury, VT**

**\$20 for Adults -- \$5 Children
(children under 6 are Free)
Family \$50**

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SHREWSBURY LIBRARY

• Looking for a COOL place to bring your laptop or find a new book or DVD? The Library is comfortable—without air conditioning—even on the hottest days. (We keep the doors and windows closed and get the ceiling fans going, so do stop in and stay awhile!)

• Have DVDs to donate to the Book Sale? Donate now; we're hoping to replace out-of-date VHS tapes. But please WAIT TO DONATE BOOKS until September 1.

• Our 2013 QUILT RAFFLE is in progress; buy tickets (at the Library) early and often! The drawing will be on Saturday, December 7 at the Cookie Swap/Silent Auction.

Coming Events:

Sunday, Aug. 4 @ 7:30pm: METTAWEE THEATRE COMPANY presents "TALIESIN," based on a Celtic myth, with original music, masks and puppets, on the grounds of Shrewsbury Mountain School or in the Multi-Purpose Room, rain or shine. Adults: \$8; children 12 and under: \$1. (See ad in this issue.)

Sunday, Aug. 11 @ 7:30pm in the Meeting Room: composer MARGA RICHTER (SKELLY) plays recordings of her music and talks about a new biography of her life and work.

Tuesday, Aug. 13 @ 7pm Library Board Meeting

Saturday, Aug. 17 @ 6:30pm: HAYSTACK DINNER; 7:30 pm: STREET DANCE at the Library. (See ad in this issue for details.)

Saturday, Sept. 21, 9am-2pm: BOOK & BAKE SALE.

Continuing Programs:

Thursdays through Aug. 22, 10:15am-11am: Summer Songs with Dino Rice for infants, toddlers, and their caregivers. Please call Dino @ 492-3368 to sign up.

Sunday, Aug. 18 @ 3pm: SCIENCE BOOK CLUB: For details contact Scott Garren @ 492-2284 or science@2scott.com.

Sunday, Aug. 18 @ 4pm: FAMOUS BOOKS BOOK DISCUSSION: *The Leopard* by Giuseppe di Lampedusa. Copies available at the Library or call Joan for more: 492-3550.

Alternate Thursdays 7-9pm: WRITERS' GROUP. For details, please contact Martha Izzi at 492-3346 or mhizzi@yahoo.com or Penelope Weiss at 492-3345.

Mondays @ 7pm: QUILTERS' GROUP: Beginners and pros welcome! Please contact Lucille Fiske (492-3302) or Donna Swartz (773-7403) for details.

Thursdays, Aug. 15 & Aug. 29, 7-9pm. COMPUTER OFFICE HOURS with SCOTT GARREN. Everything you want to know about social media, web site design and management, and more.

NEW BOOKS include:

- *The Cuckoo's Calling* by Robert Galbraith (aka J.K. Rowling): the hot thriller of the summer
- *A Dog Walks into a Nursing Home* by Sue Halpern: a true story of a dog's healing power
- *How to Grill* by Steven Raichlen: all you need to know on the subject
- *TransAtlantic* by Colum McCann: the new novel by the author of *Let the Great World Spin*

NEW or coming DVDs:

- *The Lovings*: A moving documentary about an inter-racial couple in 1960s Virginia
- *The Gatekeepers*: A controversial documentary about the Israeli Defense
- *Forces Homeland 2: Ordered, not out until October*

Shrewsbury Library Quilters

The Shrewsbury Library Quilters' current project is making patriotic quilts for the Quilt of Valor Foundation. The Foundation's mission is to cover all those service members and veterans touched by war with healing and comforting quilts called Quilts of Valor.



If you know of someone in our community who should be honored in this way, please contact Donna Reay at 492-3323, email her at dcreay@vermontel.net or contact our Regional Coordinator, Lynn Carrier at 1-802-368-7720 or email bawgael@aol.com. All communications will be kept confidential, so that it will be a surprise.

If you would like to join us in our quilt project or just stop in to chat, we meet most Wednesday nights upstairs at the Library 7-9pm.

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On Gates and Barriers

Summer time seems to be the season of brainlessness when it comes to common sense, people with time on their hands, a pick-up truck, and a weekend to kill. It is that vulnerable time as dusk approaches when gates and barriers live in fear for their lives due to the "grass is greener syndrome" that says I should be able to drive on the other side of that because (you can fill in the blank with the reason).

Now I realize that rational thought has no business in this discussion but for those of us who don't understand the logic in driving up and over gates or pulling barriers out of roads to "get to the other side" it might be said that while a good time might be had by all that did the removal, there is a cost to bear for those that for whatever reason installed these devices.

More basic perhaps is the fact that while the barrier and/or gate is now gone along with those who chose to remove it, the **reason** for the gate and or barrier **still remains** which in one case this summer was to protect the driving public from a traffic hazard further on. Add darkness to this scenario and a GPS unit which says "this road is the one you want to be on" and the ingredients for a serious accident were created by the short sightedness of a few individuals out for a good time.

There is lots of summer left so enjoy it, drive carefully, think ahead of your actions, and realize that the lives of gates and barriers are there to protect a resource of one kind or another.

Submitted by Gary Salmon

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150th Anniversary of Battle of Gettysburg

The Civil War. Newspapers and TV programs have been filled with articles about this important anniversary. And in recent years, the Shrewsbury Historical Society has been honored to have been the recipient of Civil War letters and memorabilia.

On August 4, 1862, President Abraham Lincoln called for additional troops to volunteer for nine months in the 14th Vermont Regiment. Eighteen men from Shrewsbury volunteered and served in Company B.

Edwin Pierce. In Karen D. Lorentz's book *Good Vermonters: The Pierces of North Shrewsbury*, Marjorie Pierce related, "My grandfather was about twenty-two years old, and there he was crouching behind a stone wall. The enemy was charging. When the firing ceased, he looked down and saw his best friend Billy Cairns had a bullet in his forehead. He was dead. I said to him, 'Why Grandpa. Weren't you afraid?' He said, 'Yes I was, Marjorie.' I asked, 'Grandpa, why didn't you run?' 'I wanted to but I was too proud,' he answered."

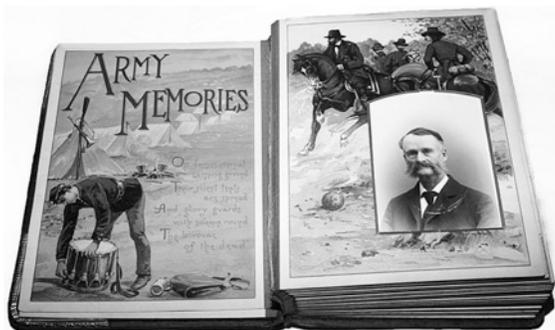


Photo of Edwin Pierce in special Army Memories album.

Marjorie's grandfather was Edwin Pierce who fought in the repulse of Pickett's Charge during the Battle of Gettysburg. Edwin's twin brother Eli, and another brother George D. Pierce also served in Company B.

The exhibit in the museum this summer features the many photos and artifacts which the Society was able to retrieve from the home of the Pierces, with approval of the Vermont Preservation Trust. Among the artifacts is a large, velvet-covered photo book made especially for those who served in the Civil War. We display it showing Edwin Pierce's photo on page one.

George Wellington Foster. Also twenty-two years old, Foster, newly married, volunteered and was a drummer for Company B. His 64 letters to home are preserved in the Historical Society collection which is stored in the Town Clerk's vault. Transcriptions and copies of the original letters are encased in an album and are on view at the museum.

One of the most poignant letters Foster wrote was dated July 12, 1874, written eleven years after he was mustered out. He took a trip to Gettysburg and revisited the sites he remembered that he was part of in Gettysburg. He visited the tree where General Reynolds, his corps commander, was killed on the first day of the fight. He broke a branch from the tree to "bring away." He called it his visit to the "field of strife."

He wrote that he "drank from the spring of water where we got the water all from during our stay at the house. It did seem as if I was on hallowed ground and wished for some of my old soldier companions to enjoy it with me."

NEXT MEETING OF THE SOCIETY

will be on August 6, 7pm in the museum.

Submitted by Ruth Winkler

2014 Memories Calendar

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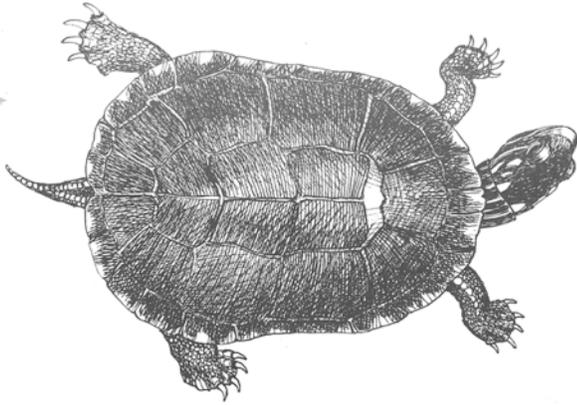
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SHREWSBURY OUTING CLUB NEWS

The Dock at Spring Lake

This past winter left the dock in a shambles. We put out a request to members for donations to rebuild. The results were very pleasing. Also, volunteer labor was in abundance (David Austin and Al Melanson Co., Lombroso family, Doug Patton, Greg Miller, Becki Bates, Paddy Martin, Hartigan family, Spring Lake Ranch, Dan Sgalia, Davis Terrell, Lee Wilson, Grace Brigham—all were part of it). Many people contributed useful ideas and observations that found their way into the project.

At this stage (mid July) the dock is reattached to the shore. The concrete “base” for the dock, poured maybe 45 years ago, had been slowly tipping for some years. This was caused by frost in the ground. We’ve excavated around it to reduce groundwater that had heaved it.

The dock has been rebuilt 10 feet shorter. For the most part we reused the lumber. At this point we’re experimenting with a floating final section of the dock (adding 10 feet).

The rock-crib beneath will be done in the beginning of September. We’ll contract this out.

We are looking for help with these final projects:

- move gravel from parking lot to adjacent 75 foot path
- surface drainage refinements to reduce saturated ground near the concrete base that holds the dock on shore. That is: redirect water coming downhill.
- Thomas Hartigan might accept assistance moving boulders into place at the parking lot
- The two changing houses need repairs

If you can help, please contact Peter Grace (492-3529) or Thomas Hartigan (492-3605).

Submitted by Peter Grace



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Peace Workshops Sunday – September 8 and 22 at the Shrewsbury Meeting House

Sept. 8: Workshop Session 1 @ 10:30-12:30 followed by lunch provided from 12:30-1:00 and Session 2 @ 1:00-3:00

Sept. 22: Workshop Session 3 @ 10:30-12:30 followed by lunch provided from 12:30-1:00 and Session 4 @ 1:00-3:00

Workshops are facilitated by Betty Edson, a graduate of Middlebury College, a licensed UCC Minister, a widow, mother of 3 and grandmother of 3.

Workshops are based on the Peace Academy's Learning & Building Intensive which was held at Champlain College. There will be interactive activities, information, and discussion.

Session 1 centers on freeing up our own creativity and recognizing longstanding, unexamined habits that may color our present-day reactions in various situations.

Session 2 will deal with the importance of our feelings, and their effect on our relationships, as we interact with others.

Session 3 will deal with ways of communicating with others, non-violently and effectively.

Session 4 deals with practical ways we can work for peace and justice in our communities, the nation and the world.

Please call Roxanne at 492-3675 and leave a message to reserve a spot and a count for lunch.

Submitted by Sue Ransom-Kelley

Community Church Calendar

Mondays 2pm-3:30pm, Book Study led by Rene Pollock, @ the Meeting House 2nd floor, weekly through Aug. 19. "A Shepherd Looks at Psalm 23" by W. Phillip Keller. This book explores the 23rd Psalm in its depth and God's message to us. Call Rene 492-3559 to receive a book (no charge). All are welcome!

Wednesdays from July 3 through Aug. 28 @ 7pm, the Abwoon Study Circle will meet at the Northam Church to learn and chant the Lord's Prayer and Beatitudes in Aramaic, the language spoken by Jesus. Please join us! For information, contact Dino Rice at 492-3488.

Sundays through Aug. 25, @ 9:15am to 10:15, at the Northam Church, join Licia Gambino Hamilton in singing music from the shape note tradition. Music will be provided on site. For more info, contact Licia at hamgam@vermontel.net or 492-3792.

Aug. 4 @ 10:30am: Worship Service and Holy Communion @ Northam Church; Rev. Bob Boutwell. Please bring a non-perishable food item.

Aug. 10 @ 5:30pm: Free Community Supper at the Town Hall! Menu is picnic food. (See below!) Call Earl or Julanne at 492-3361 to let us know if you can attend.

Aug. 11 @10:30am: Worship Service @ Northam Church; Pastor Rita Lane.

Aug. 18 @10:30am: Worship Service @ Northam Church; David Rice.

Aug. ? @ 12 noon: Prayer Shawl Meeting; place to be announced.

Aug. 25 @ 6:30pm: Evening Vespers; David and Dino Rice.

Sept. 1 @ 10:30am: Worship Service @ Center Church; Rev Bob Boutwell.

FREE Community Supper August 10 at 5:30pm Town Hall / Meeting House Come One! Come All!

Barbequed Chicken, Hot Dogs, Baked Beans, Deviled Eggs, Corn on the Cob, Salad & Dessert

Live Music, Fun! Free and open to the community. To help us plan please call Earl or Julanne Sharrow @ 492-3361 to leave a message, letting us know how many are coming. However, calling is not required, walk-ins are welcome!

Have a neighbor who can't get out? Let us know and we can make a dinner to go. Need a Ride to the Supper? Call and we will pick you up.

Community Needs

Wedding, Funeral or Memorial Service Requests: Contact Sue Ransom-Kelley 492-3738, 779-5241 or Donna Smith 492-3367

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Website: ciee.org/highschool/host

Submitted by Virginia Doss

Summer Monday Book Sales

Book sales will be held at the Friends of the Rutland Free Library in Rutland on August 5 and 12. All Book Sales will be 4:00 to 8:00 p.m. New hard cover and paperback books, puzzles, CDs, DVDs for all ages! Books organized by category and author. Come see our selection of antique and rare books! Most books \$0.25 to \$3.00 For info: www.rutlandfree.org or call 773-1860.

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July 2013 Pierce's/Big Store Price Comparison

Shopping Basket Comparison

I decided last month that for my first "official" communique to my fellow Shrewsberries I would provide an updated "shopping basket" comparison. This was a great project for me as it has highlighted some areas where we need to adjust our prices to achieve the competitiveness we want. I will provide more of this kind of information in future issues as I evaluate our inventory selections and pricing.

As always, I appreciate your input and thoughts on our community store. And remember, members can order bulk quantities (such as a case of your favorite crackers or juice or a 5-pound bag of coffee) of anything our vendors carry, at a discounted price. Just come in and ask if we can get what you want. I'll research it and let you know about availability and the price.

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ITEM	Big Grocery Store	Pierce's Price
Thomas's milk 1/2 gal	\$2.89	\$2.94
Vt Coffee, regular whole beans	\$12.99	\$11.99
Orange Juice, 1 quart (Thomas)	\$1.79	\$1.75
Pepperidge Farm wholegrain bread (vs Rob's)	\$4.49	\$4.50
Skippy Peanut Butter	\$3.19	\$4.09
Bacon, Vt Smoke & Cure 1 lb	\$6.99	\$6.99
Eggs, white (Maple Meadow)	\$2.49	\$2.69
Chobani yogurt	\$1.17	\$1.79
MiDel ginger snaps	\$4.29	\$4.49
Tomato soup, Campbell's	\$1.69	\$1.49
Mac & Cheese, Kraft	\$1.49	\$2.09
Spaghetti, 16 oz Prince	\$1.09	\$1.79
Pasta sauce, Newman's	\$2.89	\$3.29
Ground Beef 90% (vs Shrewsbury grown)	\$5.09	\$5.99
VT Smoke & Cure Summer Sausage	\$5.99	\$4.69
Name sodas, 2 liter	\$1.50	\$1.99
Frozen Pizza, Pepperoni (vs Rob's own)	\$4.39	\$8.99
Ball Park Hotdogs	\$3.29	\$2.79
Ketchup, Heinz 20 oz	\$1.79	\$2.69
Colvita Olive Oil, Xtra virgin, 17 oz	\$10.29	\$9.79
Friskies cat food	\$0.50	\$0.89
Alpo Prime Dog Food	\$0.75	\$1.29
Arm & Hammer baking soda	\$1.19	\$1.09
Jello	\$1.19	\$1.29
Domino 1 lb sugar	\$1.49	\$1.49
Duncan Hines Devils food cake mix	\$1.79	\$2.79
Laundry Soap, Xtra 75 oz	\$3.29	\$4.39
Toilet paper, single roll, Scotts	\$0.99	\$1.49
Toilet paper, Angel Soft 4-pk	\$2.89	\$2.29
Sure Jell Pectin	\$3.39	\$3.20
Ball Pint jars	\$13.49	\$11.99
Corona 6-pk	\$8.99	\$7.99
Bud 6-pk	\$6.99	\$6.99
Twisted Tea single`	\$2.99	\$2.49
Bounty single papertowels	\$1.99	\$2.09
Tortilla chips, Green Mtn Gringo	\$3.29	\$2.39
Green & Blacks chocolates	\$3.79	\$4.29
Splenda 50 ct	\$2.99	\$3.19
Cheese, Cabot sharp 8 oz	\$2.99	\$3.99
Sweet Baby Ray's BBQ Sauce	\$1.69	\$2.89
Campbell's chicken noodle soup	\$1.69	\$1.49
Sandwich	\$4.99	\$4.99
Soup, per pound	\$4.99	\$4.29
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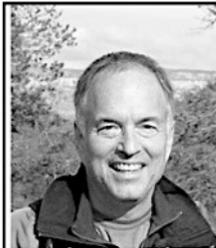
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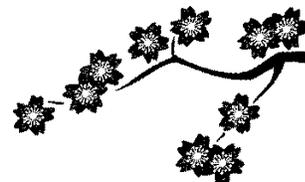
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Simple Tick Remover In this season of summer and tall grass and warm weather we will probably find ticks walking around on us even in Shrewsbury. If perchance one of them decides that it likes you and burrows in for a meal, fear not, for here is a very simple way to remove them. In fact they remove themselves in a matter of minutes according to a forester friend of mine from Weathersfield who has tried this method successfully several times this summer. Once you find one, simply apply this magic potion found in almost everyone's bathroom cabinet. In fact there is a container that has probably been living in your medicine cabinet for quite some time and NEVER been used as a tick remover. It is the ingredient CAMPHOR that the tick apparently doesn't like and it is found in Vick's Vaporub. Use a Q-tip to cover the tick with the ointment and stand back out of the way. Within a couple of minutes the tick has removed itself, and then become stuck in the ointment which allows it to be effortlessly removed (ointment and all) with a Kleenex or paper towel. *Submitted by Gary Salmon*



Book Reviews From the Library—

The journals are now back on the front desk in the library! We hope you'll fill them up with your book reviews! Because we had no new reviews this month, I thought I'd share some trivia instead from *The Penguin ULTIMATE TRIVIA* by Maureen and Alan Hiron. HOPE YOU ENJOY!

Questions:

1. In Scotland, what is the third alternative to the verdicts "Guilty" and "Not Guilty"?
2. Who died at Rouen after being thrown against his horse's saddle pommel?
3. Which film star has his statue in Leicester Square?
4. Who won the 1979 Nobel Prize for Peace?
5. How many operas did Gilbert and Sullivan write?
6. What is the lifespan of a turkey?
7. Who sculpted "The Thinker"?
8. How many rivers are there in Saudi Arabia?
9. What is Kendo?
10. Which element has the symbol Ag?

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Thank You! Loretta and Dennis Clark

- ANSWERS**
1. "Not proven"
 2. William the Conqueror
 3. Charlie Chaplin
 4. Mother Teresa of Calcutta
 5. Fourteen
 6. 12 years
 7. Rodin
 8. None
 9. The Japanese art of sword fighting
 10. Silver

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Prevent Mosquito-borne Diseases



West Nile virus (WNV) and Eastern equine encephalitis virus (EEE) are infectious diseases transmitted by mosquitoes. Although the risk of getting infected is low, it's not zero. It's important to take steps to reduce your risk of infection.

To prevent mosquito bites

- Limit the amount of time spent outdoors at dusk and dawn.
- Wear long-sleeved shirts and long pants outside when mosquitoes are active.
- Use insect repellents that are labeled as being effective against mosquitoes.
 - Effective ingredients are **DEET**, **picaridin**, and **oil of lemon eucalyptus**.
 - For more information about choosing a repellent see: **healthvermont.gov** and search for 'insect repellent'
- Cover baby carriages or outdoor play spaces with mosquito netting.
- Fix any holes in the screens in your house and make sure they are tightly attached to the doors and windows.

Reduce mosquitoes near your home

- Remove standing water around your house.
- Dispose of, or regularly empty any water-holding containers (including trash cans) on your property.
- Drill holes in the bottom of recycling containers that are left outdoors, so water can drain out.
- Clean clogged roof gutters of leaves and debris that prevent drainage of rainwater.
- Turn over plastic wading pools and wheelbarrows when not in use.
- Do not allow water to stagnate in birdbaths. Change it every three or four days.
- Keep swimming pools clean and properly chlorinated. Remove standing water from pool covers.
- Use landscaping to keep standing water from collecting on your property.

For more information on mosquito-borne diseases in Vermont:

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Submitted by Daphne LeaHemmer, Shrewsbury Health Officer

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