

**Around Town Happenings**  
**September ~ October 2017**  
**Readsboro Community Library**  
**Bringing community together ....**

**Beginning Thursday, September 7<sup>th</sup> ~ Drop in Knit/Crochet 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. with Normajean.** Come for a half hour or stay the whole time, Thursdays through November 30<sup>th</sup>. Reaching out to local knitting groups, knitters and stitchers with the hope that you will use your skills to create handmade breast prosthetics for women who have undergone mastectomies or other procedures. Patterns and yarn are available at the library. Please spread the word. The finished product will be delivered before the holidays.

**Saturday, September 23<sup>rd</sup> 10 a.m. ~ 4 p.m.**

Please join us at the Vermont Fairy Tale Festival at 2998 River Road, Killington, VT for a fun filled day of fairy tales, food and craft vendors, artists, storytellers. Learn how to create a fairy garden courtesy of Rutland Garden Club. Present will be Norah Dooley and Simon Brooks two of the most amazing storytellers. Viking fighters, artists to help create flower fairies, Gifford State Park will be hosting a fairy house walk through the park. Admission is a non-perishable food item for the food bank or an item for the humane society. Make sure to stop by the **Readsboro Community Library** tent to create a Mad Hatter hat. For additional information and updates visit the Vermont Fairy Tale Festival Facebook page. \*\* Special thanks to Mark Lowe for the beautifully painted vintage mirror for our site at the Fairy Tale Festival \*\*

**Thank you**

The library is community based ~ thanks to the Readsboro Hometown Redevelopment for cohosting Vermont History Through Song and the Historical Society for cohosting the Old Country Fiddler both events were successful and I am very appreciative to have community members that donate their time and efforts for the betterment of the community.

**Make a Difference for our Library with Box Tops For Education**

For more information on how you can help our library earn cash through Box Tops for Education, contact Cyndi Candiloro, or visit [boxtops4education.com](http://boxtops4education.com)

**Save the Date ~ Saturday, December 2<sup>nd</sup>**

In recognition of the 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the remembrance tree we are having a pancake breakfast with Santa, make a card and craft for the holidays, holiday music and more. Details will be in the next newsletter.

Newsletter is courtesy of Readsboro Community Library

If you wish to receive by e-mail contact Cyndi at [lovestoread2001@yahoo.com](mailto:lovestoread2001@yahoo.com)

Next newsletter will be November/December, if you have a press release let me know.

Like us on Facebook and visit [readsborocommunitylibrary.org](http://readsborocommunitylibrary.org)

## **Readsboro Hometown Redevelopment, Inc.**

### **September 16<sup>th</sup> Annual Auction**

7012 Main St. E.J. Bullock Building, Readsboro

Preview from 9:00 – 12:00, Bidding begins at noon.

There will be gently used items, antiques, collectibles and attic treasures; the perfect place to find a new treasure and great bargains. If anyone has items to donate, please call Sue at 423-7050 or Bob at 423-7648.

## **Readsboro Historical Society**

Antique Appraisal - Fundraiser for the Readsboro Historical Society.

### **Sunday, September 10<sup>th</sup> 1:00 - 5:00pm**

Join us for an afternoon with Darrell English who has over 40 yrs. experience with antiques & collections. Come with your favorite treasure or bring a few clear pictures if the item is too large to carry. \$5.00 per item or 3 for \$10.00 (Limit 3 items) you may be sitting on a small fortune.

For more info contact Rhonda Smith at 802-423-7633

### **Open House**

**Sunday, October 14<sup>th</sup> & Sunday, October 28<sup>th</sup>** the Readsboro Historical Society will be open from 1:00 - 4:00pm. Come browse the many displays of old Readsboro when it was once a thriving town. See how your ancestors lived without computers and cell phones. There are many products of Readsboro on sale there too; Readsboro Picture CD's, Down Thru the Year's Book with Frank Ross, Al Scaia's Interviews on CD's, Readsboro Assorted Picture Notecards, Northwind Vol. 2 Book, Hoot Toot & Whistle Book Vol 2, etc...

All are welcome to come on in and re-live time.

## **South Readsboro Community Club**

### **Thursday, September 14<sup>th</sup> 7 p.m.**

Monthly meeting ~ refreshments will be served.

### **Thursday, September 21<sup>st</sup> 5:30 p.m.**

In appreciation of members, friends and neighbors as a thank you we will be having a pizza party, musical entertainment to follow.

### **Thursday, October 12<sup>th</sup> 7 p.m.**

Monthly meeting ~ make plans for the final supper of 2017.

### **Saturday, October 14<sup>th</sup> 5 p.m. ~ 7 p.m.**

Pork dinner, potatoes, gravy, winter squash, coleslaw and homemade pies.

Adults \$12; \$6 children 5 to 11 and under 5 free.

## **First Baptist Church**

First Baptist Church community at 7030 Main Street invite you to their Sunday services held at 9 a.m. children are encouraged to come and take part in the children's program to learn, have fun and snacks.

**September 3<sup>rd</sup>** a fellowship will be held following the communion service 9 a.m. ~ 10 a.m.

**September 6<sup>th</sup>** at 6:30 p.m. the fellowship group will hold an important meeting to make plans for the Harvest Festival to be held in September. Members and friends are urged to be a part of the annual fundraiser.

**September 10<sup>th</sup>** 9 a.m. praise the Lord and pray for our children as school begins again

**September 13<sup>th</sup>** 12 p.m. Senior Community Lunch donations of \$3 suggested for seniors but all welcome. Volunteers appreciated to help serve 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

**September 17<sup>th</sup>** 9 a.m. worship the Lord with God's people

**September 24<sup>th</sup>** 9 a.m. service of praise for our blessings

**September 26<sup>th</sup>** 7 p.m. a prayer meeting will be held by David Farrington, for our country, community and the Harvest Festival

October is Pastor Appreciation Month ~ we thank Pastor John Brigham and all who shepherd God's people in our area.

**October 1<sup>st</sup>** will be the monthly communion service followed by coffee time downstairs.

**October 2<sup>nd</sup>** the church council will meet at 3:30 p.m.

**October 4<sup>th</sup>** at 6:30 p.m. the fellowship group convenes to discuss the Harvest Festival and more.

**October 11<sup>th</sup> 12 p.m.** Harvest Meal served by Friendly Mission Circle for seniors and all.

**October 8<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup>, and 29<sup>th</sup>** 9 a.m. worship giving thanks, praise and honor to God.

### **September 30<sup>th</sup> ~ 55<sup>th</sup> Annual Harvest Festival 10 a.m. ~ 3 p.m.**

The festival will feature fresh veggies, homemade baked goods, savory foods, cider, Chinese auction, plants, crafts and attic treasures, also the drawing for the handmade quilt. The festival will be held at the E J Bullock Building and on the church lawn beginning at 11 a.m. a delicious lunch of chicken and biscuits or soup and sandwiches which will be served in the church basement. Volunteers to help are needed and would be greatly appreciated. Come to a meeting to learn how you can help or contact a member of the Fellowship Group.

### **Readsboro PTG**

1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday every month at 3:15 p.m. meeting ~ come find out how you can help be a part of this special group that focuses on your children and activities.

**September 3<sup>rd</sup>** Bake Sale/Luncheon fundraiser to be held at the Welcome Center in Guilford, VT. Can't attend, no problem contact Caraline 423-5683 to donate a baked good, water or fresh fruit. Help kick start 2017~2018 school year!

## **American Legion Post 29**

### **Saturday, September 23<sup>rd</sup> Annual Fundraiser**

Dinner 5 – 7 p.m.

Steak

Baked Potatoes

Corn on cob

Horseshoe tournament (weather permitting to start at 12:30 p.m.)  
\$15/person must have ticket in advance. Deadline for ticket purchase  
September 16<sup>th</sup>.

### **Sunday, September 10, 2017 ~ 8 a.m. to 11 a.m.**

French toast or pancake, eggs, sausage, home fries, coffee and juice.

### **Sunday, October 8, 2017 ~ 8 a.m. to 11 a.m.**

French toast or pancake, eggs, sausage, home fries, coffee and juice.

### **Saturday, October 7, 2017 ~ 6 p.m.**

Membership dinner for all members that have dues paid.

## **Readsboro Lions Club**

### **Saturday, October 21<sup>st</sup> 6:30 p.m.**

2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Haunted Park Walk ~ join in the fun with music, games, refreshments  
and more ~ time to be announced.

## **Readsboro Fire Dept**

### **Fire Prevention Week October 8<sup>th</sup> ~ 14<sup>th</sup>**

Please remember to thank the women/men of Readsboro for their selfless  
dedication to our community. Check batteries and replace detectors if needed.  
Firefighting - one of the few professions left that still makes house calls. ~Author  
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# ***Readsboro Arts News***

## ***Confluence~ Upcoming shows***

***Confluence*** is located in the historic EJ Bullock Building at 7012 Main Street in Readsboro. The gallery hosts a series of shows featuring fine art and craft, from May to October. Confluence is open on weekends Saturdays 10 am-4pm, and Sundays 12pm-4pm, and by appointment.  
(802) 423-5600, Gallery@ReadsboroArts.org

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## ***Beyond Readsboro, Contemporary Studio Glass August 5<sup>th</sup> - September 10<sup>th</sup>***

***Beyond Readsboro, Contemporary Studio Glass*** –a group exhibit of nine talented glass artists from southern Vermont and western Massachusetts. Featuring works in glass by Lucy Bergamini, Ed Branson, Robert Burch, Gen Cole, Robert Dane, Robert Du Grenier, Josh Simpson, Randi Solin and Jen Violette.

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## ***Painting Invitational September 16<sup>th</sup> – October 29<sup>th</sup>***

***Join us for the last show of the season at Confluence.***

***Painting Invitational*** - Group show. Come meet the artists at the opening reception on Friday, September 22<sup>nd</sup> , from 5 – 7pm.

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***Readsboro Arts is a locally grown nonprofit arts group founded in 2006, supporting the arts in Readsboro and surrounding communities. For more information visit <http://www.readsboroarts.org>***

Visit Readsboro Glassworks during Vermont Fall Open Studio Weekend October 14<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup> , 10 am-5 pm. Join us for the Vermont Craft Council's Fall Open Studio Weekend. We'll be welcoming visitors to our Readsboro studio stop in to see our hand blown glass and glass sculptures and watch one of the glassblowing demonstrations ongoing throughout the weekend. Readsboro Glassworks is joining other Vermont artists throughout the state for this annual event. Look for the bright yellow Open Studio signs directing visitors to each studio. The Vermont Studio Map and Guide is available locally and at [www.vermontcrafts.com](http://www.vermontcrafts.com).

Looking forward to seeing you,

Mary and Bill

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