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MIDDLEBURY PARTNER BULLETIN

MONTHLY NEWS, ANNOUNCEMENTS, EVENTS, &
OPPORTUNITIES FOR SPOUSES, PARTNERS, &
FAMILIES



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1 Community Compass

Information curated & shared by partner/spouses

Each month, the "Community Compass" features insights shared by Partner/Spouses at our Partners' Connection Events

Highlighting local organizations, events, traditions, farmers, makers, discounts, and opportunities for volunteering, growth, and networking.

Please [contact us](#) with your favorite event, special hang-out, hike, or deal in town.

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2 Relocation/Living and Working

Vermont & Essex County, NY

If you are new to these areas or just want to enjoy all the beautiful outdoor spaces, creative communities, and a great quality of life.

Here are some organizations that connect you with locals, provide community profiles, job boards, create "Newcomers" events, and newsletters for tips on living in Addison, Rutland, & Chittenden County Vermont, Essex County NY.

[Imagine Addison County→](#)

[Real Rutland→](#)

[Relocate Burlington→](#)

[North Country Good Life→](#)



3 Regional U.S. Independence Day Events July 1-8.

Celebration of the 250th year since the signing of the Declaration of Independence. Celebrations, Concerts, historical re-enactments, and readings. [Vermont 250th Celebrations](#)

Celebrations (July 3-4) [Middlebury](#) (Block Party), [Bristol](#) (outhouse races), [Brandon](#), [Essex, NY](#) (Liberty on the Lake), [Ticonderoga, NY](#) (July 1-5), [Burlington, VT](#).

Concerts (July 3-4) [Shelburne](#) (VSO), listing of other [musical programs](#)

Historical re-enactments [Crown Point \(Jul 2\)](#) and [Fort Ticonderoga](#)

Spotlight America 250 Readings Declaration of Independence

July 4th (11:30am) -[Chimney Point State Historic site](#), [Mount Independence State Historic site](#), Samson Memorial Cornwall (11:30-2:30 Ice cream social), Mt Independence (All Day) July 25.



4 Middlebury Festival on the Green

July 12-18 2026

Village Green, Middlebury, VT

47 years of free, family-friendly music in the heart of Vermont

- Festival on the Green is one of “the best series of free performances in Vermont” & was voted 10 times Vermont's Top Ten Summer Events.
- The festival is FREE to attend but, the "hat is passed" to support the event.
- State-of-the-art sound system bringing music to everyone inside the tent and throughout the Village. Seating over 200 and covers a large performance stage.

Schedule→



5 Family Friendly Fossil Walk: Essex Quarry Nature Preserve

July 18, 2026 10:30 AM - 12:00 PM

2203 Lake Shore Rd, Essex NY 12936

Join Champlain Area Trails and the [Belden Noble Memorial Library](#) for a fascinating adventure into the world of fossils! Discover how fossils are formed, read captivating stories about fossils, and embark on your own fossil-finding

expedition. This event is perfect for curious minds of all ages eager to dig deeper into Earth's ancient past.

[Parking & Information→](#)



6 The Depot Theatre Presents "Incident at Our Lady of Perpetual Help"

July 23-August 9 2026

11:00am-1:00pm

[6705 Main Street Westport NY 12993](#)

The oldest professional Theatre in the Adirondacks located the Westport Train Station, and associated Actors Equity Assoc and Union of Professional Actors & Stage Managers. The play is written by Katie Forgette, is a warm and humorous coming-of-age comedy set in a Catholic school in the 1970s. Check the website for timings.

[Tickets and Info→](#)

The [Partner Inclusion Program](#) provides comprehensive support services to Middlebury employees and their spouses/partners on both the Middlebury, VT and Monterey, CA campuses. With highly attentive and personalized support, we assist them in obtaining relevant employment and community resources by connecting them to diverse campus and community networks.



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