

The Woof!



July 2026

Ongoing Facility Requests

Save the Date – More details to come:

Camp Ta-Kum-Ta

77 Sunset View Rd, South Hero, VT 05486

Camp Ta-Kum-Ta provides challenging, extraordinary experiences in a safe and loving environment for children who have or have had cancer and their families. We will organize teams for Sunday, July 19th and an additional date (TBD) near the end of the week.

Senior Living Residences:

New!! Brookwood Residential Care

2 School Street, North Springfield, VT, 05150

Contact: Taylor Hall, Office Manager

Tele: 603-493-9506 Email: thall!@brookwoodseniorcare.com

Taylor is looking to connect with team(s) to visit 14 residents at this address with the possibility of expanding the visits to additional residential care homes.

Re-Newed!! Premier Rehab and Healthcare at Burlington

300 Pearl St, Burlington, VT 05401

Contact: Tammie Morrell, Activity Director

Tele: 959-204-5152 Email: TMorrell@stellarhealthgroup.com

This is a rehab & long-term care facility, and most residents have been diagnosed with dementia.

Re-Newed!! Bayada Hospice

463 Mountain View Drive, Suite 100, Colchester, VT 05495

Contact: Deb Helfrich, Volunteer Coordinator

Tele: 802-302-4455 Email: dhelfrich@bayada.com

We're looking for additional therapy dog teams to support hospice patients receiving care in facilities across VT and in Concord, NH.

Re-Newed!! The Village at Cedar Hill

92 Cedar Hill Drive, Windsor, VT 05089

Contact: Tracey Ford, Activity Director

Tele: 802-674-2254 Email: tford@cedarhillccc.com

This home previously had an employee dog visit and occasionally feels the benefit of a family member visiting with their pet, but they would love to connect with a TDV Team for ongoing therapy dog visits.

Re-Newed!! Ida's House of VT

360 New Rd, Brandon, VT 05733

Contact: Anna Lang, Executive Director

Tele: 802-522-7306 Email: anna.lang@lyghtbulbmoments.com

This 10 bed, level 3 care home for individuals with dementia would love ongoing visits from our team(s).

For more information contact Michelle Carroll, Facilities
Coordinator

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Re-Newed!! Harbor Village Senior Communities

90 Allen Rd, South Burlington, VT 05403

Contact: Dawn Maxson, Life Inspired Director

Tele: 802-861-3739 Email: vtaw.lec@meridiansenior.com

We have a group of pet lovers who would appreciate the fine company TDV team(s) could provide.

Re-Newed!! Riverview Life Skills Center

197 Highlander Drive, Jeffersonville, VT 05664

Contact: Michelle Bush, Nurse

Tele: 802-644-8708 Email: rlsci@yahoo.com

Our goal is to schedule ongoing therapy dog visit(s) for residents with Traumatic Brain Injuries.

Miscellaneous:

NEW!! Target

155 Dorset St, South Burlington, VT, 05403

Contact: Mina Leav, HR Expert

Telephone: 802-923-4473 Email: wilhelmina.leav@target.com

TDV members have visited the store previously and the Target team loved it!! Please reach out to see if any of the dates & times throughout July could work for you & your pup.

New!! Vermont Department of Corrections

255 North Main Street, Suite 6, Barre, VT, 05641

Contact: Tiffanie Timian, Peer Support Coordinator

Tele: 802-904-3206 Email: Tiffanie.R.Timian@vermont.gov

Tiffanie is looking for team(s) to make ongoing visits both weekdays and weekends during day or evening hours.

Camps & Summer Programs:

NEW!! Green Mountain Community Fitness – Summer Camp Program

652 Granger Rd, Barre, VT, 05641

Contact: Maddy Cooley

Tele: 802-223-6161 Email: cooleymaddy@gmail.com

We would love a therapy dog team to visit our campers (ages 5-11) to explain the difference between service dogs and therapy dogs and how to behave around them.

New!! Humane Society of VT – Camp Paw Paw

142 Kindness Court, South Burlington, VT, 05403

Contact: Ceci Eliopoulos, Humane Education Program Coordinator

Tele: 802-862-0135 Email: CeciliaE@hscvt.org

These campers range from ages 5-15 and enjoy learning the difference between therapy dogs and service dogs from our handlers as well as time to pet the pups. Please reach out to Ceci for specific dates & times.

To include your announcement in our next issue, e-mail your submission
before the 25th of the month to: admin@therapydogs.org

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New!! Boys & Girls Club at Castleton

263 Elementary School Rd, Castleton, VT, 05735

Contact: Kelly O'Neill, Area Director

Tele: 802-345-1164 Email: koneill@rutlandbgclub.org

The request is for team(s) to visit a summer camp that is run out of Castleton Elementary School.

Schools & Libraries:

New!! New Haven Library

78 North St, New Haven, VT 05472

Contact: Ruth Bernstein, Library Director

Telephone: 802-453-4015 Email: librarian@nhcl.org

After hearing wonderful experiences others have shared, we are looking to create an opportunity for students to read to therapy dogs at our library this Fall.

New!! Hardwick Elementary School

135 S Main St, Hardwick, VT, 05843

Contact: Fawn Shore, School Counselor

Tele: 802-829-6060 Email: fshore@ossu.org

We are planning for the Fall Semester to continue the K-6 Reading Buddies Program for 215 students.

Re-Newed!! Haskell Free Library & Opera House

93 Rue Caswell, Derby Line, VT 05830

Contact: Evelyn Crevier, Youth & Family Services Coordinator

Tele: 888-626-2060 Email: youth@haskelloperahouse.org

This historic library on the border of the US & Canada & would love a team to support their summer reading program.