

The Woof!



June 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!! Wheelock Terrace Assisted Living

32 Buck Road, Hanover, NH, 03755

Contact: Cathy Richardson, Activity Director

Tele: 802-738-5250 Email: dogforddixie@gmail.com

We have 44 residents in Assisted Living, and 16 residents in Memory Care & we are looking for regular visits from TDV teams(s) for both whole group interactions and one-on-one visits.

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. our team(s).

For more information contact Michelle Carroll, Facilities Coordinator

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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 neurocognitive decline (dementia) would love ongoing visits from

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.

Miscellaneous:

New!! Washington County Mental Health Services Annual Wellness Fair

VT Granite Museum, 7 Jones Brothers Way, Barre VT 05461

Contact: Meghan Elliott, Benefits Coordinator, Human Resources Operations

Tele: 802-301-3086 Email: meghan.elliott@wcmhs.org

Washington County Mental Health Services is hosting Wellness Fair on June 26th from 1- 4 pm at the VT Granite Museum.

New!! Second Spring North

1071 VT Route 15, Westford, VT, 05489

Contact: Taylor Smith, Recovery Activities Coordinator

Tele: 802-231-3065 Email: taylor.m.smith@cscorp.org

This non-profit residential mental healthcare facility would love TDV team(s) to visit afternoon or early evening weekly, bi-weekly or monthly.

Re-Newed!! Veterans Memorial Park (DCF – Family Services Division)

1000 Dorset St, South Burlington, VT, 05403

Contact: Elizabeth Strasner

Tele: 802-798-6475 Email: Elizabeth.Strasner@vermont.gov

The Foster/Kinship Picnic has been scheduled for June 6th from 10-12 pm at Veterans Memorial Park.

Re-Newed!! North Central VT Recovery Center

275 Brooklyn St, Morrisville, VT, 05661

Contact: Ray Zott, Parents in Recovery Coordinator

Tele: 586-372-1460 Email: ray.zott@ncvrc.com

This community center supports people in recovery from substance abuse in a non-clinical setting.

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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Re-Newed!! State of Vermont Agency of Transportation

2178 Airport Rd, Barre, VT 05641

Contact: Trent Martin

Tele: 802-279-8383 Email: trent.martin@vermont.gov

The state office building for the Agency of Transportation would appreciate support from our team(s).

Re-Newed!! Elmwood Community Shelter

51 Elmwood Avenue, Burlington, VT 05401

Contact: Nora Arnolds, Community Support Staff

Tele: 917-318-5185 Email: noraaronds@yahoo.com

This community shelter for 30, single adults would love therapy dog(s) to visit their community space. Though guests can have their own dogs there were not any other dogs onsite at the time of this request. Onsite parking is available.

Re-Newed!! Center for Solace

191 Canal St, Brattleboro, VT, 05301

Contact: Ellen Glover, Serious Illness Program Coordinator

Tele: 802-257-0775 Email: eileen.glover@cfsolace.org

Center for Solace offers free volunteer support, peer support groups, and other activities to people going through life-altering illnesses through the Serious Illness Program (SIP).

Schools & Libraries:

New!! East Valley Academy

579 VT-14 East, East Randolph, VT, 05401

Contact: Erin Bardsley, Case Manager

Tele: 802-369-9755 Email: bardsley@gmail.com

This licensed independent school provides educational & therapeutic services to youth with emotional & behavioral challenges in grades 3-12. Therapy dog team visits would be incredibly beneficial.

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 & in order 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.

New!! Berlin Elementary School

372 Paine Turnpike North, Berlin, VT, 05602

Contact: Jessica Maurais, Special Educator

Tele: 802-223-2796 Email: jmaurais@u32.org

This K-6th school would like to add on-going therapy dog support for their students when they return in the Fall.