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July 2024

Ongoing Facility Requests

NEW!! Seall, Inc

116 Benmont Ave., Bennington, VT 05201

Contact: James Henry, Executive Director

Tele: 802.442.4997, Email: jim.henry@seallinc.org

"...program for youth..." Would love to have therapy dog teams visit.

NEW!! Springfield Health and Rehab

105 Chester Rd., Springfield, VT 05156

Contact: Kara Greene, Activities Director

Tele: 802.885.5741, Email: Kara.greene@genesishcc.com

"...Our residents love to have animals around and we have noticed a decline in behaviors and depression when we can have visits..."

NEW!! St Michael's College

Beginning August 2024

1 Winooski Park, Colchester, VT 05439

Contact: Kate O'Sullivan, Resident Director

Tele: 518.538.2424, Email: kosullivan@smcvt.edu

"...I would absolutely love if during the fall semester of the 2024-2025 school year, we could have "Therapy Dog Thursdays..."

Vermont State University Lyndon

Beginning August 2024

1001 College Rd., Lyndonville, VT 05851

Contact: Aimee Rozum, Counselor, Wellness Center

Tele: 802.626.6390, Email: aimee.rozum@vermontstate.edu

"...we would like to offer our students a regular, on-going time that they can spend with a therapy dog or two..."

Barre Probation & Parole

255 North Main St., Barre VT 05641

Contact: Tiffanie Timian, Senior Probation and Parole Officer

Tele: 802.249.1363, Email: tiffanier.timian@vermont.gov

"...my co-workers, the administration staff, my bosses, and myself are in a career field that takes a toll on us as a whole..."

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Facilities@therapydogs.org

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Hardwick Elementary School

135 Main St., Hardwick, VT 05843

Contact: Lisa Forbes, Teacher

Tele: 802.505.1181 Email: lforbes@ossu.org

"...I'm in the very beginning stages of inquiring about therapy dogs as support in the classroom...."

St Albans Free Library

11 Maiden Ln, St Albans, VT 05478

Contact: Marguerite Althoff, Youth Room Director

Tele: 802.370.6839, Email: margueritestalbansfreelibrary@gmail.com

"... therapy dogs came to visit our library's Youth Room so kids could read to them, part of our summer reading program. The kids loved it ..."

Fletcher Free Library

235 College St., Burlington, VT 05401

Contact: Mary Danko, Library Director

Tele: 802.865.7214, Email: mdanko@burlingtonvt.gov

"...It got me thinking that having dogs come by and let these folks pet them could be very helpful...."

Oak Hill Children's Center

72 School House Rd., Pownal, VT 05261

Contact: Ashley Farrington, Administrative Specialist

Tele: 802.823.7839, Email: admin@oakhillvt.org

"...We would love to have you come and talk about what you do with our School-Age kids during summer break..."

Apple Tree Learning Centers

1056 Mountain Road, Suite 16, Stowe, VT 05672

Contact: Sherrie Therrien, Teacher

Tele: 802.253.4321, Email: maple@appletreelc.com

"...We are an Early Learning Center that teaches children ages 7 weeks-12 years. We believe a visit from a therapy dog would greatly benefit the children that we teach..."

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Save the Date(s)!!

Howard Center Fay Honey Knopp School

Week of August 19 to 23, flexible schedule for all days

77 Park Street, Rutland, VT 05701

Contact: Craig Munson, Team Leader

Tele: 802.857.8244, Email: cmunson@howardcenter.org

"...Many of our students have a high interest in dogs/animals and we were feeling Therapy Dogs of Vermont would be a great addition ..."

Town of Essex Community Day

Saturday September 21

Foster Road Park, Essex, VT

Contact: Jenn Merritt or Nicole Mone-St. Marthe

Tele: 802.878.1342, Email: recmail@essex.org

"...We didn't know if maybe you might be interested in bringing some of your therapy dogs..."

Laraway Youth and Family Services

Friday, October 11, 2024

275 VT Rte 15, Johnson, VT 05665

Contact: Kim Dudley

Tele: 802.249.7318, Email: kdudley@laraway.org

"...Laraday is a day of team building and stress reducing day. It would be ideal to have the dogs available 10:00-1:00 ..."

Southwestern Vermont Council on Aging (SVCOA)

Community Health Days - A varied schedule of days and events and locations. Please contact Joy to plan when you might visit.

Locations are in Pownal, Manchester Center, Rupert, Dorset, Pittsford, and maybe others!

Contact: Joy Martelliti, Communications and Development Coordinator

Tele: 802.772.7824, Email: jmortelliti@svcoa.net

"...We believe that your involvement would significantly enhance the effectiveness and reach of these events, should you have questions or would like some more information on these events and our organization, please feel free to contact me directly at 802-772-7824 or by email at jmortelliti@svcoa.net Thank you for considering this opportunity to collaborate and make a positive impact in our communities. We look forward to potentially partnering with you for these Community Health Days, take care..."