



Town of Franklin, VT E-Newsletter

January - March 2014 Issue

Welcome to the Town of Franklin's E-Newsletter!

In our efforts to go green, the Town of Franklin is trying to email more information to community members and reduce the amount of paper mailings we do. We will periodically send out meeting and legal notices. If you have something that you would like included in a newsletter, please send it to townoff@franklinvt.net for consideration. Please also visit the Town's website at franklinvermont.com.

January 2014 Events

January 1, 2014 Town Clerk's Office Closed

**January 2, 2014
Haston Library Trustee Meeting**
Haston Library 6:00 p.m.

**January 6, 2014
Zoning Board of Adjustment Hearing**
Haston Library 7:00 p.m.

**January 7, 2014
Select Board Meeting**
Town Clerk's Office 7:00 p.m.

**January 14, 2014
Select board Meeting**
Town Clerk's Office 7:00 p.m.

**January 16, 2014
Franklin Watershed Committee Meeting**
Franklin Homestead FELCO Room 7:00 p.m.

**January 20, 2014
****Town Clerk's Office Closed******

**January 21, 2014
Planning Commission Meeting**
Franklin Homestead Dining Room 7:00 p.m.

**January 23, 2014
Select board Budget Meeting**
Franklin Central School Library 7:00 p.m.

February 2014 Events

**February 6, 2014
Haston Library Trustee Meeting**
Haston Library 6:00 p.m.

**February 11, 2014
Select board Meeting**
Town Clerk's Office 7:00 p.m.

**February 17, 2014
****Town Clerk's Office Closed******

**February 18, 2014
Planning Commission Meeting**
Franklin Homestead Dining Room 7:00 p.m.

**February 20, 2014
Franklin Watershed Committee Meeting**
Franklin Homestead FELCO Room 7:00 p.m.

**February 26, 2014
LAST DAY TO REGISTER TO VOTE FOR
2014 TOWN MEETING**

March 2014 Events



**March 4, 2014
Town Meeting**
Franklin Elementary School 10:00 a.m.
Polls open at 10:00 a.m. for MVU Elections

**March 4, 2014
****Town Clerk's Office Closed******

**March 6, 2014
Haston Library Trustee Meeting**
Haston Library 6:00 p.m.

**March 11, 2014
Select board Meeting**
Town Clerk's Office 7:00 p.m.

**March 18, 2014
Planning Commission Meeting**
Franklin Homestead Dining Room 7:00 p.m.

March 20, 2014

Franklin Watershed Committee Meeting
Franklin Homestead FELCO Room 7:00 p.m.

The Lake Carmi Campers Association invites all Franklin folks to get on the Lake Carmi email list. Check it out <http://www.lakecarmi.org> and email Larry Myott @ lbmyott@uvm.edu for free a subscription, all are welcome.

The Franklin Historical Society is seeking new members. Please join them with your ideas and enthusiasm. Call 285-6774 for the next meeting date and time.

Please take the time to visit the Vermont State Treasurer's Website as there is thousands of dollars of unclaimed property listed that the State is holding on to. Your name or someone that you know could be on there. It only takes a minute to search and print out the claim form. Stop into the Town Clerk's Office if you need further assistance, we would be happy to help. The website is: [Unclaimed Property | Office of the State Treasurer](#)

****REMINDERS****

-VT Law requires that dogs that are 6 months of age or older, are due to be licensed with the Town by April 1, 2014.
Spayed or Neutered \$12.00
Not Spayed or Neutered \$16.00

-Town Reports will be available for pick up at the Town Clerk's Office, Telephone Office, General Store and Byam's Quick Stop on February 22, 2014. For those not able to pick one up, please contact the Clerk's Office to have one mailed or emailed to you.

Town Clerk's Office Hours:
Monday 8:30a.m.-3:30p.m.
Tuesday 8:30a.m.-3:30p.m.
Wednesday 8:30a.m.-12:00p.m.
Thursday 8:30a.m.-6:00p.m.
Friday 8:30a.m.-3:30p.m.

The Clerk's Office does NOT close for lunch; if you can't make it in during scheduled hours, please call to make other arrangements.

ZUMBA at the Town Hall.
6:15-7:15pm every Monday/Wednesday
8:30-9:30am Saturdays
NO CLASS JANUARY 18, 2014.

With Town Meeting just around the corner, we encourage everyone to consider running for a local office position within the Town. If you are interested in any of the following positions that will be up for election or appointment, contact the current officer or Town Clerk's Office for more information on the position and duties. **The number before the position represents the number of vacancies, not the years for the term.******

Elected:

Town Treasurer
2-Select board (2 yr & 3 yr terms)
1-Lister
1-Auditor
1-Trustee of Public Money
1-Trustee of Haston Library Fund
2-Haston Library Trustees
1-Delinquent Tax Collector
1-Constable
1-Town Agent
Town Grand Juror(s)
1-Franklin Homestead Inc. Member
Cemetery Commissioner(s)
1-Franklin School Director
1-MVU School Director

Appointed:

1-Planning Commission
2-Zoning Board of Adjustment
1-Zoning Administrator
1-Town Service Officer
1-Health Officer
1-Road Commissioner
1-Road Foreman
1-Animal Control Officer
1-Tree & Fire Warden
1-Keeper of Street Lights
1-Keeper of Town Clock
1-Emergency Management Coordinator
2-Regional Planning Representatives
E-911 Coordinator

Newsletter Policy/Disclaimer

This newsletter is sponsored by the Franklin Select board and is intended to provide the general public with information about Franklin, Vermont. You will find various committee notices and community events in each newsletter. Events and meetings can be added, changed or cancelled so please visit franklinvermont.com to stay current