

For the Week of April 27, 2026

Volunteer for Green Up Day!

Green Up Day will be here soon! This year, Green Up Day will be held **Saturday, May 2nd**.

Residents, businesses, and community groups are invited to join in the effort to clean up the Town's roads, beaches, parks, and bike paths. You can pick up bags and road assignments at Town Hall on Blakely Road between 8:00 a.m. and 12:00 p.m. on Green Up Day.

You may select your own Town road or area to clean, provided it has not already been assigned, and can work as many hours as you want.



The Conservation Commission, which coordinates Green Up Day efforts for the Town, will provide instructions on where to leave bags for pick up by the Town's road crews.

Bags and a sign-up sheet are now available at the Police Station.

Thank you to all who coordinate and participate in this event, we hope to see you on May 2nd!

Questions can be directed to the Green Up Day Coordinators Theresa Carroll and Pam Loranger at greenupcolchester@gmail.com.

Department Updates

Department of Public Works: Upcoming Road Closure

Windemere Way will be closed by the boat access to all traffic, including pedestrian and bike traffic, starting Monday, April 27th and ending Tuesday, April 28th by 3:00 p.m. This work is occurring to replace a stormwater structure and associated piping.

Access to the bike path will be available via Horizon View Drive. Detour signs will be in place.



The boat access will be open, but will be a very tight fit. People using the boat access should expect delays of up to 15 minutes to get in or out.

Windemere Way will remain closed overnight — barricades, cones, and lights will be in place.

With any questions, please contact the Department of Public Works at (802) 264-5620 or email DPW@colchestervt.gov

Parks & Recreation: Upcoming Events

Touch-a-Truck

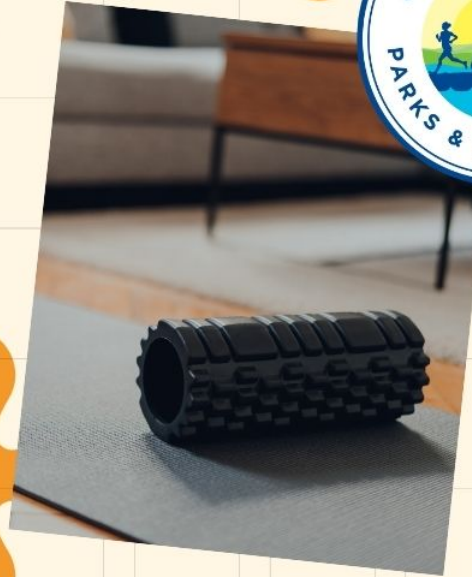
The Department of Parks and Recreation will be holding their annual Touch-a-Truck event on Saturday, **May 2, from 9:00-11:00 a.m., at Colchester High School.**

Children (and parents) can climb, sit, and play on tractors, police cars, dump trucks, fire trucks, and a variety of other vehicles.

Keep in mind that from **9:00 - 10:30**, sirens will not be used. From **10:30 - 11:00**, sirens and air horns may be used.

Please plan accordingly based on the interests and needs of your group. We hope to see you there! For more information, visit: <https://colchestervt.gov/361/Touch-a-Truck>





TRIGGER POINT FOAM ROLLING

Learn how to release muscular tension and increase circulation throughout all major muscle groups. Using a high density foam roller, learn techniques and the location of common trigger points that contribute to muscle tension and superficial pain.

MAY 16 @ 10:15 - 11:30AM

AT THE COLCHESTER RECREATION CENTER

REGISTER ONLINE AT [COLCHESTERTV.GOV/RECREATION](https://colchestervt.gov/recreation)

Upcoming Town Meetings & Agendas

Selectboard Meeting: Tuesday, April 28, 6:30 p.m. at the Colchester Town Offices, 3rd Floor Outer Bay Conference Room, 781 Blakely Road.

Residents are welcome to attend the meeting. Alternatively, send a note, up to 1,000 words, to TownManager@colchestervt.gov with “Citizens to be Heard” in the Subject and your name. As with in-person Citizens to be Heard, we ask that you SHARE YOUR ADDRESS. The email will be shared with the entire Selectboard prior to the meeting and included in the information packet at the next meeting.

- Watch the Meeting Online via Live Stream: <http://lcatv.org/live-stream-2>
- Agenda: www.bit.ly/Colchester-SB-Agendas

Recreation Advisory Board: Wednesday, May 13, 7:00 a.m. at the Colchester Recreation Center, 80 Dick Mazza Drive. Agenda: <https://clerkshq.com/Colchester-vt?docId=RecAdv&path=BOARDS%2CRecAdv%2C>

Planning Commission: Tuesday, May 5, 7:00 p.m. at the Colchester Town Offices, 3rd Floor Outer Bay Conference Room, 781 Blakely Road. Agenda: <https://clerkshq.com/Colchester-vt?docId=PLANAGENDA>

Town Plan Meetings: Monday, May 5, 9:00 a.m. at the Colchester Town Offices, 781 Blakely Road. Topic – Economic Development & Town Services

Tuesday, May 19, 6:00 p.m. at the Colchester Recreation Center, 80 Dick Mazza Drive. Topic – Education and Parks & Recreation

Development Review Board: Wednesday, May 13, 7:00 p.m. at the Colchester Town Offices, 3rd Floor Outer Bay Conference Room, 781 Blakely Road.

Residents are welcome to attend the meeting or public comments can be submitted prior to the hearing by email to pzinfo@colchestervt.gov or by mail to Town of Colchester, c/o Development Review Board, 781 Blakely Road, Colchester, VT 05446. Agenda: https://clerkshq.com/Colchester-vt?docId=DRBAGENDA&path=DRB%2CDRB_Agendas%2CDRBAGENDA%2C

Library Board of Trustees: Thursday, May 21, 4:00 p.m. in the Burnham Room of the Burnham Memorial Library. Agenda: <https://clerkshq.com/Colchester-vt?docId=LibBoard&path=BOARDS%2CLibBoard%2C>

Colchester Conservation Commission: Next meeting date TBD.

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