
GRANGE CALENDAR FOR OCTOBER 2022



GRANGE HAPPENINGS FOR OCTOBER 2022

National Convention 2023 Fund Raiser The NortheastConnection is selling tee shirts as a fund raiser for National 2023. I have a supply here at my house. The tee shirts are **Cardinal Red**. The logo on the front is a drawing of the Empire State Building with a drawing of Niagara Falls in front inside the Grange logo. I have short sleeve and long sleeve shirts in the following sizes: Short Sleeve: Medium, Large, Extra Large, 2X, and 3X Long Sleeve: Medium, Large, Extra Large, 2X and 3X Most sizes have a limited number of shirts. If you would like to have one, send me a message and I will put your name on a shirt and work out how to get it to you. Pricing: Short Sleeve shirts-----\$10.00 Long Sleeve shirts-----\$15.00

Make your check payable to: Vermont State Grange and send to me. (Brenda) Any questions, just call. Brenda Rousselle 11 Abnaki Ave. Essex Jct., VT 05452
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Could you please add a headline reminder for folks to bring white socks and toiletry items to State Session for the Good Samaritan Haven, in your newsletter. Thanks Ruth Hovey-Sicely

1st Heart of Vermont Pomona meets at 10AM at Tunbridge Grange for their meeting and installation of officers. Pot Luck lunch.

Oct. 1, Capital City Grange meeting (brief) 4:30 to 5:00, followed by a Lecturer's program featuring Andrew Forrest, from "Feel Good Action". Andrew, the brother of our Chaplain, is the leader of this organization that uses social media to encourage young people to vote and get involved in positive social change. More info about them at: <https://feelgoodaction.org/>. Come to the Hall, or join us via Zoom. I'll post the Zoom info on the Grange website Calendar at: www.capitalcitygrange.org/events.

The program, from 5:00 to 6:00, will be followed by a Grange Community Potluck--in person! Hope you can join us.

Oct. 1st is our Square dance and Round 7-10PM. (Gassetts)

3rd October 3 Mountain Valley Pomona meets in Bartonsville. Pot luck at 6:30 pm and meeting at 7:30.

5th 5 October Charlotte Grange distribution of winter clothing collected for children of Charlotte Food Shelf families, with extras going to Food Shelves in neighboring towns.

8th 8 October Charlotte Grange joins Charlotte Library and Sustainable Charlotte in hosting the bi-annual Repair Cafe, 10:00-2:00 at Earthkeep Farmcommon on Rte 7, Charlotte. Contact repaircafe@sustainablecharlotte.org to offer repair skills or request specific repairs.

Oct. 8, Capital City Grange, 9:30 to 11:30 AM: Kids Trade & Play, our monthly clothing swap and give-away for families and kids will take place. All are welcome, \$3/per family donation if you have it, but no one is ever turned away! Take anything you can use from our large selection of inspected and sorted items. Happy to accept donations of clean, un-ripped and un-stained kids' clothes from non-smoking homes during the event also.

8th Breakfast at Lake View Grange in West Barnet 8-10AM.

8th Oct. 8th is our Buffet Breakfast 8-9:30AM (Gassetts)

8th October 8 - Middle Branch chicken pie supper, all meals \$12. Two options this year: LIMITED indoor seating at 5pm by reservation only, call or text 802-291-1234 AFTER Sept. 30. Drive thru opens at 5:30pm

9th October 9 Annual Dummerston Church Apple Pie Festival and a 20 + vendor Craft Fair at Evening Star Grange in Dummerston at the Grange Hall. Craft Fair opens at 9:00 a.m. with church sale of apple pies beginning at 10:00 a.m. Craft fair will close at 3:00 pm for crafts and when sold out or 3:00 pm for pies. Grange will have hamburgers, hot dogs, chili, baked beans

and corn chowder on sale at lunch time.

9th Oct. 9th is our Jamboree 1-4PM After the Jamboree we will be closing down our Grange for winter, for 5 Months, until the start of April. You all have a nice fall and a warm Winter!!! (Gassetts)

10th Lake View Grange regular meeting 7PM at Grange Hall in West Barnet.

14th Blue Spruce will not meet on October 14 as we will be at State Session.

14-15-16 DON'T FORGET STAT SESSION AT CAPITAL PLAZA IN MONTPELIER!!!

Oct. 15, at the Capital City Grange, 7:30 to 11:00 PM: the Montpelier Contra Dance series features calling by Nils Fredland and music from "Turning Stile". Intro/refresher lesson at about 7:40, followed by dancing from 8 to 11:00! Newcomers are always welcome, and we hope that VT State Grange State Session attendees will join us to enjoy the dancing! Well-fitting N95, KN95/94 or medical masks are required for all--we have extras to give out. Choose your admission: \$5 for kids and low income folks, \$12 for adults, or \$20 for dance supporters. For more info, contact Tim Swartz: swartztim15@gmail.com, or 802-225-8921

16th October 16th - Drawing to benefit the Vermont State Grange Youth Department. For every dollar donated, you will be entered to win a Coach Bag! Drawing will take place on Oct. 16th. Donations accepted through Venmo @Jessica-Falker-1 or cash/check to Vermont State Grange Youth, c/o Jessica Falker, 72 Alfred Buck Lane, Pittsford, VT 05763. Please include your phone # when making your donation so we can call you if you win.

17th October 17 Evening Star Grange meeting. Note date change. Meeting at 6:30 to finalize plans for Turkey Supper.

18th 18 October Charlotte Grange monthly business meeting, 7:00-8:30pm in Grange Hall. Masks required.

Oct 19 Center Grange meeting at 7pm. Hubbardton.

20th 10/20 Bomoseen Valley, Regular meeting 6.30 in Bomoseen

21st. October 21 - Middle Branch regular meeting plus the annual pumpkin contest. 8:30 EBT

22nd October 22 Turkey Dinner at Evening Star Grange in Dummerston, located at 1008 East-West Road in Dummerston Center. Meal is served 4:30 to 6:00 pm. Eat in or take-out. Meal includes turkey with stuffing, mashed potatoes and gravy, corn pudding, a second vegetable and a seasonal dessert. Tickets are \$12.00 for adults, \$6.00 for children. Reservations appreciated but not mandatory. Call 802-254-1138 and leave your name, phone # and the number of meals and if eating in or taking it home.

27th 10/27 New Horizon Pomona Halloween Party at 7pm at Center Grange hall

28th Blue Spruce will meet on October 28 for our evaluation as well as Youth/Junior Program.

POINT OF INTEREST: Lois, Beacon Light will be signing Christmas cards for our 3 facilities. Not sure of the exact date call master for info. 802-482-2532. Darcelene