

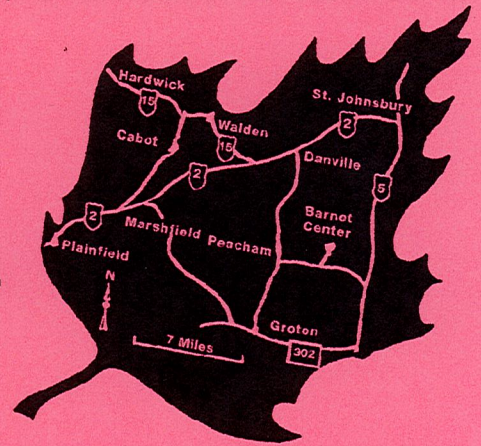
Vermont's Northeast Kingdom



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ANNUAL FALL FOLIAGE FESTIVAL

SEPT. 28 – OCT. 5, 2024



SATURDAY, SEPT. 28

CABOT

Start your NEK Fall Foliage exploration in Cabot. Register at the Town Common between 10 a.m.-Noon to learn about the day's events which include self-guided tours, trail hikes, open houses at area businesses and presentations by some of Cabot's entertaining residents. In the afternoon, the Cabot Cheese and Culture Festival opens with Vermont cheesemakers, producers of cultured and fermented foods, chefs and brewers, offering tastings, education and celebration. And to top off the day, a turkey dinner with all the trimmings at the Cabot Church from 5-6:30 p.m. take-out only, with outdoor dining on the Town Common. Learn about all the day's events at www.CabotVermont.org

SUNDAY, SEPT. 29

MARSHFIELD

Marshfield Harvest Festival, 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Free family-friendly activities: cider pressing, face painting, arts & crafts, field games, petting zoo, exhibit of old motors & more! Book sale, bake sale, horse & wagon rides, craft sale, flea market & Farmers' Market. Food tent: 11 a.m.-2 p.m. Free Marshfield Village Store pizza & Free Cake to celebrate our community garden! 11:30 a.m.-3 p.m. Music with local bands. The Harvest Festival will be at the Old Schoolhouse Common, 122 School St., Marshfield 05658. Info: jaquithpubliclibrary@gmail.com, 802-426-3581 or www.jaquithpubliclibrary.org.

MONDAY, SEPT. 30

WALDEN

Our day begins at 9 a.m. at the Walden Church in Noyesville Village to register and pick up a Walden packet. Our tours are self-led *Open Visits* with boldly marked introductions in the packet. Walden-wide, residents invite you to see how they make a living or supplement their incomes by working or crafting in their homes, fields & studios. Open visits & spots for foliage/scenery viewing are marked with bright orange OPEN VISIT signs. There will be a luncheon opportunity during the tours. Our open-spit Barbecued Beef Supper starts at 5:30 p.m. and is served family style with mashed potato & gravy, peas & carrots, rolls & butter, beverage and home-baked pumpkin or apple pie: \$16/adult, with child rates. Take-out available. Info: Judy Clifford, 802-563-2777 evenings, message 802-793-5011, www.waldenvt.org

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 2

PLAINFIELD

The Grace United Methodist Church on 13 Mill Street, will be serving a take-out supper, beginning at 4:30 p.m., featuring Mostaccioli, salad, rolls & dessert. Tickets: \$15 per person, at church in lower village, behind the stone wall. RSVP: call Grammy Judy, 802-322-5010, judyfowler29@gmail.com

THURSDAY, OCT. 3

PEACHAM

Join us for breakfast at the Peacham Café 9 a.m.-11 am. Stroll up Church Street to enjoy the Blacksmith Shop 11 a.m.-3 p.m., Historical House for *Picture Perfect: Postcards from Peacham's Past* 11 a.m.-4 p.m., the Corner Cemetery, the War Memorial, the Snow Roller Museum 12 p.m.-3 p.m. and an iconic view of Peacham. Lunch offered at Peacham Elementary School 11 a.m.-1:30 p.m., \$12 or the Café 11 a.m.-2 p.m. Enjoy local crafts at Peacham Corner Guild 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Browse the library's book sale 10 a.m.-2 p.m. and enjoy the movie Spitfire Grill at 6:30 p.m. Tour the East Peacham Schoolhouse 10 a.m.-4 p.m. with cider, donuts and fall cookies from 2-4 p.m. End your day with a Vermont Maple Glazed Ham Supper with all the fixings at Peacham Congregational Church 5-6:30 p.m.; adults \$14, children \$5, under 6 free. Info: details, schedule & map-<https://peacham.org/portfolio/fall-foliage-day/> or contact Melissa Hough 802-592-3195, mdhough10@gmail.com

FRIDAY, OCT. 4

BARNET

Welcome to Barnet! We have a number of places open this year: Historic Ben's Mill, 2236 West Barnet Road; Stevenson's sugar house - maple products, 712 Stevenson Road; Town museum in the Goodwillie House, 26 Goodwillie Road; The Walter Harvey Meeting House - historic church, 868 Mosquitoville Road; Quilt Show at the Meeting House in Barnet Village, 100 Church Street, Barnet Village; The Olde Church Store, 281 West Main Street - good second hand clothing; And afternoon baked goodies at the Presbyterian Church next door, 279 West Main. Maps will be available at each location. Please check "BarnetVT.org" for more information - use the "community" pull down menu. See you soon!

SATURDAY, OCT. 5

GROTON

Join us in Groton for another fun day in the Northeast Kingdom. Visit the Peter Paul Historical House from 10 a.m.-3 p.m. to view their special exhibits. Help is available to those researching their Groton properties. Our library is open 10 a.m.- 3 p.m. to enable participation in special programs for the day. Submit a pumpkin for competition in the Great Pumpkin Weigh-in from 10:30 a.m.- 1:30 p.m. at the Upper Valley Grill. View the annual parade in downtown starting at 1:30 p.m. Enjoy the Old-Fashioned Hymn Sing at the Baptist Church at 7:00 p.m. Serving times for our World-Famous Chicken Pie Supper at 4:30, 5:30 & 6:30 p.m. with take-outs available. To order tickets, contact Peter Lyon, 848 West Shore Drive, Groton, VT 05046 or call Peter at 802-584-3020. Info: www.grotoncccc.org

FOR TRAVEL & LODGING INFORMATION, contact www.nekchamber.com, nekinfo@nekchamber.com, 800-639-6379.

This calendar can be found on the nekchamber.com site.

-In memory of Betty Hatch, our longtime Fall Foliage Festival Chairman-