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Learn more about [Vermont Women in Law Enforcement](#), an organization providing professionals in the field opportunities to enhance their personal and professional lives. Membership is open to any active or retired Vermont law enforcement officer. Vermont Women in Law Enforcement is committed to establishing, providing and sustaining a network of law enforcement professionals through which we develop professional relationships, provide training and information valuable to our field, contribute to the growth of our agencies and our communities.

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Vermont Commission travels to Springfield's CCV campus for our next meeting, Wednesday, June 11th. [Contact us](#) for details.

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Give Way to Freedom's Shine a Light on Human Trafficking event
Friday, June 6th, 7-10 pm at Red Square, 136 Church Street, Burlington

Join [Give Way to Freedom](#) friends, fans and family for food, drinks and music, featuring DJ Craig Mitchell in the Blue Room at [Red Square in Burlington](#), on Friday, June 6th, 7 to 10 pm. The benefit includes a silent auction of up-cycled, re-designed and original lamps by professional artists! \$25 entrance ticket includes appetizers and 1 drink. Click [here](#) and get 2 tickets for \$45. Show support and spread the word, like the event on Facebook [here](#).

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Vermont Women's Business Center's (VWBC) Business Wisdom Circle
Tuesday May 27th from 4:30 to 6:30 pm
Central VT Community Action Campus, 20 Gable Place, Barre

This month's conversation topic: Pricing: Getting to What Works. Description: Pricing is not a one-formula-fits-all kind of thing. And, (sorry!) we haven't yet discovered a magic formula. But we do have access to the collective wisdom of your Sister Entrepreneurs who are playing with the same questions. \$10.00 includes light refreshments. Free/reduced fees available. Register or get more info: info@vwbc.org / 802.479.9813 / www.vwbc.org / Facebook: VtWBC .

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Vermont Works for Women's Transitional Jobs program

A week to go before Vermont Works for Women's Transitional Jobs program starts up again. Learn more [here](#).

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Vermonters living with HIV
1st and 3rd Thursday of every month at 6:30 pm

Are you, or a friend, living with HIV in Vermont? Sometimes, just getting together with other Vermonters living with HIV and sharing experiences, advice, or just chatting can be very rewarding.

The 1st and 3rd Thursday of every month at 6:30pm, join together with other POZ individuals over light dinner. Contact john@ru12.org, or call for John at (802) 860-7812 for meeting locations and questions. Facilitated by [RU12?](#) and [Twin States Network](#).

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7th annual Run for Empowerment
Saturday, June 14th on the Burlington Waterfront

The 7th annual Run for Empowerment, a benefit organized by the [Women Helping Battered Women \(WHBW\)](#) Board of Directors will be on June 14th. This family-friendly event raises money to support WHBW's programs against domestic abuse. Events designed for every family member, including a 5K walk/run, a 10K run, and a 1K kids' fun run. [Registration and more info here](#).

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Senior Meals in Newport Needs Volunteers and Staff
Every Friday from 12-1

[Umbrella's](#) senior meal site in Newport needs volunteers! The meals are held every Friday from 12-1. Volunteers help greet and serve diners, and assist with clean up. Please call 802-487-9380 if you can help! Also, Umbrella is currently [hiring](#) for a Supervised Visitation & Exchange Monitor!

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[Webinar: Human Trafficking: The Role of the Health Care Provider](#)

What can healthcare providers do to help victims of human trafficking? Many healthcare providers, who interact with human trafficking victims, are unaware that these crimes occur and often are not prepared to respond to victims, survivors, and those at risk. This webinar will provide clinicians with knowledge on trafficking and give specific tools for screening, assist victims in the clinical setting, and understand reporting requirements. Participants will have the opportunity to hear from a human trafficking survivor, and explore opportunities for improving practice and policy.

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Resources from the Breastfeeding Project of Rutland County

[Middlebury Department of Health](#)
[Promise Lactation Consulting](#)
[The Breastfeeding Project of Rutland County](#)
[Friends of La Leche League of Rutland County](#)

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Hunger Free Vermont offers the [Learning Kitchen curriculum](#) to organizations wanting to run a nutrition and cooking education classes. To learn more about the Learning Kitchen, visit Hunger Free Vermont's [Website](#).

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Common Good Vermont's 2014 Nonprofit Wage & Benefit Survey for Northern New England

Common Good Vermont joins forces with the New Hampshire Center for Nonprofits and the Maine Association of Nonprofits to conduct this 2014 Wage & Benefit Survey for nonprofit organizations. Deadline is June 6th, [learn more here](#).

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Listen to or read Governor Kunin's VPR commentary: [Nigerian Abduction](#).

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Restorative Justice, Responsive Regulation, and Complex Problems Conference 2014
Davis Conference Center, University of Vermont, Burlington, Vermont
July 15 to 18, 2014

This conference will offer an international slate of keynote speakers, educational, training and networking opportunities for practitioners in the emerging field of regulatory affairs as well as those more familiar with the flourishing range of restorative justice practices. Daily panels will bring together presenters who address the complex issues of power and privilege that sustain exploitive and harmful behaviors in different social environments and propose creative solutions. More info [here](#).

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Strategies to Transform Peer Aggression Workshop
Thursday, May 29, 12:30-5 pm
Vermont College of Fine Arts, Noble Hall, 36 College St., Montpelier

[Vermont Works for Women](#) has designed a new workshop that teaches educators, administrators, youth service providers, camp counselors, coaches - all adults - how to identify, address and prevent peer aggression in and among girls. Strategies to Transform Peer Aggression in Girls is an interactive, half-day workshop that will help you:

- understand the dynamics of peer aggression
- learn & understand new strategies to implement
- hear examples & case studies first-hand from young women
- name & claim your own anxieties around dealing with peer aggression
- discover new ways to create safe, girl-centered environments like VWW's Rosie's Girls & Dirt Divas programs

More information [here](#) or by contacting Kelly Walsh @ 802.622.0400, ext. 105 or kwalsh@vtworksforwomen.org. Register now, spaces are limited!

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Women Writing for (a) Change – Vermont's Annual Writing Retreat
"Finding Yourself Here"
Thursday, July 10th – Sunday, July 13th

More info [here](#).

Program Website: <http://womenwritingVT.com>

Prison Website: <http://writinginsideVT.com>

Author website: <http://sarahwbartlett.com>

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Watch the Vermont Commission on Women's history slideshow show [here](#). VCW: Celebrating 50 Years of Progress, 1964 – 2014!

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[Keep Calm and Manage Your Future](#) is the title of the national Older Women's League's 2014

Mother's Day Report. Chapters include: Long-term services and supports; Family Caregiving; The Direct Care Workforce; Policy Recommendations. More on OWL [here](#).

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Committee on Child Protection Public Hearings
June 3, 5, 10th in locations across Vermont

Public hearing participants may testify on their experiences with and observations of the current child protection system. The Committee invites suggestions on system improvements, best practices for family reunification, resources and the State's effectiveness in protecting children from abuse and neglect. Hearings will last approximately 90 minutes. In the interest of time, participants are asked to be concise. Written testimony can be submitted at the hearing or can be e-mailed to the committee's assistant at any time, [Agatha Kessler](#). Those who would like to participate may sign up at the door 15 minutes prior to the hearing's start time. More info [here](#).

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