

# TOWN OF MONTGOMERY NEWSLETTER

## MAY 2019



**The Weapons of Fraud**  
The Friends of the Montgomery Town Library, in cooperation with AARP Vermont's Fraud Watch Network, will host a presentation on scams, fraud, and con artists entitled

The Weapons of Fraud at the Library on May 9th at 6:30 pm. The program will identify the current scams and tactics being used today, and provide helpful tips on staying out of the grip of con artists. **FREE** for all ages. Consumer fraud of every type is on the increase. From the imposters claiming to be I.R.S. Agents to the computer tech support scams, to the bulk-mailed contests, there has been a dramatic rise in the number of attempts to defraud the public. The presentation provides clear examples of scams and concrete protection steps for all ages.

**The Real Eastern Coyote**  
The Montgomery and Richford Conservation Commissions present Chris Schadler. Learn the true story of the eastern coyote – how and when it arrived in New England, how it lives among us but is rarely seen, and how it contributes to keep our forests and fields healthy. Learn why it is a creature of our own making! It is smart, beneficial and by its presence, gives “wild” back to our wild lands. Chris Schadler, M.S., Conservation Biology, will discuss coexistence strategies, whether you farm, hike or garden.  
Wednesday, May 22 at 6:30 p.m. at the Grange.  
**FREE** and open to the public.



### SEEKING VENDORS FOR SUMMER FARMER'S MARKET

Coming soon! Montgomery Summer Farmer's market on the Pratt Hall side lawn.

Vendors interested in participating should contact Sue Wilson at 326-4189 to reserve a booth.

Saturdays, June 15th-September 21st from 9AM-1PM.

Sponsored by the Montgomery Historical Society



*2019 CEA Season Opens*  
This season of the Celebration of Expressive Arts begins at the INN on Sunday, May 26th featuring musical duo Rough & Tumble, artist Ron Pigag, and comedian Gabriel Roberts.  
Dinner served at 5PM; programming to follow at 7PM.



### INDOOR FARMER'S MARKET

This month is the final installment of the **Montgomery Elementary School Mountain Lion Farmer's Market** in the MES Gymnasium on Saturday, May 11th from 10:30AM-2:00PM.

Local produce, soaps, preserves, and more.... For more information, contact Wendy or Dawn at 326-4618



### Sponsor the Montgomery Rec Center Summer Music Series

The Montgomery Rec Committee is seeking donations to support the summer evenings of live music, family-friendly entertainment, and a delicious food truck line-up. When you make a donation to the concert series, you are supporting the Montgomery community, the arts, local food vendors, and local musicians. Donors will be listed on the event's donor wall and receive honorable mentions at the shows. Contribution Levels:  
\$1000 Sustaining Donor  
\$500 Supporter  
\$100 Contributor  
\$50 Friend

Any amount of donation is appreciated in person at the events. Please mail donations to: The Town of Montgomery, PO Box 356, Montgomery Center, VT 05471



### WHERE'S WALDO?

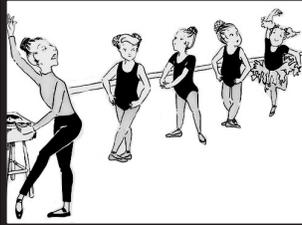


A local game of “Where's Waldo” has been initiated. Each month, Waldo will “find himself” sitting somewhere in Montgomery. Starting in April, look for a statue of the character at one of the local businesses or organizations. Can you find him? If so, let the owner of the business know so your name will be entered in a drawing at the end of the month for a \$25 gift certificate. Have fun!

*Last month's winner:  
Jess Sherman found Waldo at Flowers & Ferns*

### KIDS POTTERY CLASS

The Montgomery Center for the Arts hosts a children's pottery workshop taught by local artist Elizabeth Martin. Saturday, May 4th AND 11th from 10-11AM in the lower-level Laboratory. Ages 4-10 years old. \$40 for two classes, all supplies included. Children will create a wind-chime. Contact Elizabeth to register your child: 933-6409 or at [ecmartin5555@gmail.com](mailto:ecmartin5555@gmail.com)



# BALLET ARTS SUMMER WORKSHOP

Now registering students for the annual summer Ballet Arts Workshops. Ages 4+.  
June 20th-July 18th at the **Montgomery Center for the Arts.**

Workshop includes dance, theater, art, and yoga.  
 For more information or to register your child,  
 contact Kathleen Scott at [mescott@fairpoint.net](mailto:mescott@fairpoint.net).

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1 5PM CONSERVATION COMMISSION BOARD MTG @ PSB 6PM QIGONG @ MCA	2 5:30-7:30PM LIVE MODEL DRAWING GROUP @ MCA	3 9AM YOGA @ MCA	4 8AM-2PM RUMMAGE SALE @ METHODIST CHURCH 10-11AM KIDS POTTERY CLASS @ MCA
5	6 6PM BELLY DANCING CLASS @ MCA 6:30PM SELECT BOARD MTG @ PSB	7 6:15PM YOGA @ MCA	8 6PM QIGONG @ MCA	9 5:30-7:30PM LIVE MODEL DRAWING GROUP @ MCA 6:30PM WEAPONS OF FRAUD @ LIBRARY	10 9AM YOGA @ MCA	11 10-11AM KIDS POTTERY CLASS @ MCA 10AM-2PM FARMER'S MARKET @ MES GYM
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26 3PM MONTHLY MEDITATION @ MCA 7PM CEA @ THE INN	27 6PM BELLY DANCING CLASS @ MCA	28 6:15PM YOGA @ MCA	29 6PM QIGONG @ MCA	30 5:30-7:30PM LIVE MODEL DRAWING GROUP @ MCA	31 9AM YOGA @ MCA	1 JUNE EVENT: 7PM NORTHERN BRONZE HAND-BELL ENSEMBLE @ PRATT HALL FREE TO PUBLIC

PSB = PUBLIC SAFETY BUILDING, 86 MOUNTAIN RD/RTE 242  
 MCA = MONTGOMERY CENTER FOR THE ARTS, 2 MOUNTAIN RD/RTE 242

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