



# Who's Who IN BUSINESS 2025

PROFILES OF BUSINESSES SERVING THE ORLEANS COUNTY AREA

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## ACTIVITIES

Orleans Country Club .....12B

## ADVERTISING / MEDIA

Kjya Detoma .....8B  
Chronicle, the .....4B

## AQUARIUM / PETS / PET CARE

AquaRealm .....2B  
Pick & Shovel, The .....12B

## ARTS

Mac Center for the Arts .....9B

## AUTOMOTIVE

Carl's Equipment, Inc. ....3B  
Hayes Ford .....7B  
Leroux Brothers Transmissions .....9B  
Morrisville Used Auto .....10B  
Ray's Towing & Recovery .....12B  
Shattuck Motors .....13B  
Taylor's Automotive, Inc. ....14B

## BOOKSTORES

Galaxy Bookshop .....6B

## BUILDING SERVICES / TRADES

Desrocher's Inc., Crane Service  
& Excavating .....5B  
LimeLite Restoration Services, Inc. ....9B

## CANNABIS PRODUCTS

Northeast Kingdom Hemp / Kingdom Kind ...10B

## ENTERTAINMENT

Paul's Sugarhouse .....12B

## ENVIRONMENTAL

Orleans County Natural Resources  
Conservation District .....12B

## EQUIPMENT - SALES, RENTALS, SERVICE

All Around Power .....2B  
Border Truck Equipment .....3B  
Driver's Outdoor Power Equipment .....5B  
Newport Rental Center .....10B  
Walt's Sales & Service .....15B

## FARM / ANIMAL / CONSTRUCTION SUPPLIES

Farmyard Store .....5B

## FINANCIAL

Community National Bank .....4B  
Streetlight Financial .....14B  
Thompson Insurance & Financial Services ..15B

## FOOD / GROCERY STORES / MINI-MARTS

West Charleston Corner Store .....15B  
Smith's Grocery .....14B

## FOOD / RESTAURANTS / INNS

Carriage House Café & Grill .....3B  
Essex House, The .....5B  
Gap Pub & Grill, The .....6B  
Roasters Café .....13B  
Roberto's Neopolitan Pizza .....13B

## FOREST RESOURCES

LandVest .....8B

## FUEL/HEATING & PLUMBING SERVICES

Blanchard Oil Company .....3B  
Fred's Energy .....5B  
Oil Supply Corp. ....11B

## FURNITURE

Modern Furniture .....10B

## GARDEN / LANDSCAPE / NURSERY

Butterfield Farm Stand and Greenhouse ....3B  
Labour of Love Landscaping & Nursery ....8B

## HARDWARE & BUILDING SUPPLIES

J.B. Colton Hardware & Lumber .....7B  
Pick & Shovel, The .....12B

## HEALTH / MEDICAL

Freedom Physical Therapy .....6B  
Hearing Center of Vermont .....7B  
Living Well NEK .....9B  
Rebecca's Journey .....13B  
Studio for Life .....14B

## HOME GOODS

All About Home .....2B

## INSURANCE

Conley Country Real Estate & Insurance ....4B  
Taylor-Moore Agency / Rock Insurance ....14B  
Thompson Insurance & Financial Services ..15B

## MEMORIALS

Heritage Memorials, Inc. ....7B

## MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS / EQUIPMENT

Northeast TV & Music Shop .....11B

## PAVING

Gray's Paving & Asphalt Plant, Inc. ....6B

## REAL ESTATE

Big Bear Real Estate .....2B  
Century 21 Farm & Forest .....4B  
Jim Campbell Real Estate .....8B

## REAL ESTATE RENTALS

Carol Davis .....3B  
Red House Rentals .....13B

## SALONS

Countryside Kutts .....5B  
Recreations Styling Salon .....13B

## SCHOOLS

United Christian Academy .....15B

## SEPTIC

Juddy's Septic Service .....7B

## SNOWMOBILES

Al's Snowmobile .....2B

## SPECIALTY ITEMS

Country Thyme Vermont .....4B  
Nana's Bears & Buttons & Threads .....10B  
Northern Embroidery Corp. ....11B

## SPORTING GOODS

Green Mountain Sporting Goods .....6B

## TECH SERVICES

Antenna Man .....2B

## WASTE/RECYCLING

Myers Waste & Recycling .....10B



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## Antenna Man

Little did Wayne Wheeler know one New Year's Day in the early 1950s, he'd be beginning a business that would still be going strong 70 years later. While sadly Wayne passed away a few years ago, the business is stronger than ever. Now headed up by Wayne's son, Jeff, Antenna Man is a local company dedicated to helping make seemingly difficult technology easy to use.



Somewhat surprisingly, one of the busiest parts is new off-air antenna sales, along with their own wireless Internet service. With a small modem and a monthly subscription, which Antenna Man, not some far off faceless company, bills and collects for, it's all most people need. It's mobile, making it great for campers, too. They have no long-term contracts or credit checks.

Off-air antennas, in this age of Internet streaming? Yes! They continue to install numerous "old-fashioned" antennas every week. Once you pay for the equipment and install, your monthly programming bill goes to \$0. Most local customers get 25 digital channels or more.

Of course, Antenna Man still does the dishes. They also sell and install WeBoost cell phone boosters.

To see some of their past projects, search for Antenna Man Inc. on Facebook.

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## All About Home

For over two decades, All About Home has been a cornerstone in the Newport community offering a curated selection of kitchen accessories, home décor, and specialty gifts including soaps, scented candles, jewelry, greeting cards and unique gifts. Owned and operated by Cindy and Garrett Moylan, this beloved local business recently relocated from the Derby Road to Main Street in Newport.



The Moylans' commitment to quality and community is evident in every aspect of their store. They have dedicated themselves to providing high-quality products at affordable prices, along with the personalized service that only a local business can offer.

AAH is renowned for its extensive range of premium kitchen and bakeware essentials, featuring top brands. AAH provides a full-line of Hunter Douglass custom window treatments and offers installation services.

At AAH customers will also find an array of decorative accessories including rugs, curtains, lamps, mirrors, and ready-made window treatments — ensuring that everyone can find the perfect piece to enhance their living space.

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## AquaRealm Aquarium & Pets

AquaRealm Aquarium & Pets, now celebrating its 30th year in business, is a full-line pet store that also offers hard-to-find services. Owner D.J. Nelson and his employees can trim bird wings, small animal, or bird nails, properly maintain your home aquarium and more.



D.J.'s knowledge and experience with animals sets him apart. He has even been interviewed about pet care for national magazines. His passion for animals and wanting to help educate people so their pets can live longer, healthier, happier lives inspired him to start and expand the business.

AquaRealm is always adding new products and cool/exotic pets. The business is known for its cleanliness, its excellent-stock, and a friendly and knowledgeable staff who offer great customer service.

Come in and check out AquaRealm Aquarium & Pets. They are constantly evolving to better suit the needs of your pets.

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## All Around Rental

From small power tools to large excavation equipment, lifts, and event rentals, All Around Rental in St. Johnsbury has what you need.

Here are just a few of the items in their enormous inventory of rentals: boom and scissor lifts, excavators, skid steers, wood chippers, lawn and garden equipment, concrete tools, generators, and power tools.



If it's an event you need help with, they carry tents, tables, chairs, and bounce houses!

Owners Philip and Margaret Brown have been in the business for 14 plus years; their son Dallas is also part of the team. Together they treat every customer with respect. When you walk into their store, you'll get a warm greeting and friendly, helpful service. "We firmly believe that customer service is about treating everyone as a person rather than a number," the Browns say.



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Blanchard Oil prides itself on being a locally owned and community-oriented business, focused on providing its neighbors with timely, loyal and professional services to meet all of its heating and plumbing needs. Blanchard Oil is proud to provide its customers with 24-hour service, as well as full heating and plumbing services, complete from quote to installation.

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## Carl's Equipment, Inc.



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Carl's Equipment makes it easy to buy a quality used car. They believe in fair prices, superior service and treating their customers right. Many customers' families have been coming there for generations. The friendly and knowledgeable sales staff along with Rosie, the friendly shop dog, are there to help you find the car you deserve and priced to fit your budget. You can even visit their virtual showroom of used cars, trucks, and SUVs online, then stop by for a test drive.

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## Butterfield Farm Stand and Greenhouse

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Explore their greenhouse stocked with a variety of vegetable and flower 6-packs, and don't forget to pre-order your favorites! At Butterfield Farm Stand, you can indulge in the freshest produce, herbs, cut flowers, eggs, beef, and chicken, all nurtured on their family-owned farm. Plus, savor the flavors of their homemade canned goods as well as local syrup, honey, and cheeses.

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## Carriage House Café & Grill

Now celebrating ten years in business, the Carriage House Café and Grill has a loyal following and owners Gary and Bonnie Poginy. Bonnie comes from comfort food royalty here in the Kingdom. When she was younger she worked with her mother, Martha Royer, the former owner of Martha's Diner.



The Carriage House has taken that comfort food tradition up a notch. Bonnie uses the best ingredients she can find, locally sourced whenever possible, to craft a menu of breakfasts, entrees, and pub food that are cooked from scratch, not out of a box. Diners from seven different states have told her that their Reuben sandwich is the best they have ever had. People also enjoy their fish & chips, steak tips, and mouthwatering prime rib.

One of only a handful of sit down restaurants in the area, the Carriage House promises outstanding food for every budget, fun and friendly service, in a clean and comfortable setting. There is a full bar with beer taps, a covered front porch for outside dining in the summer months. And, with trails and roads open, ATV and UTV riders are always welcome.

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After 32 years, Dan Maclure has transferred ownership of **Century 21 Farm & Forest** to his son, Nicholas, and daughter-in-law, Megan. Nick, who has co-managed the firm since 2006, and Megan, a key team member since 2013, will maintain the company's legacy of excellence. Dan will continue as a broker, supporting his loyal clients. The firm appreciates the community support and is committed to serving the Northeast Kingdom with an experienced team and two convenient locations.



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Founded in 1974 by Chris and Ellen Braithwaite, along with Edward Cowan, *the Chronicle* has kept close tabs on local and state government, area sports, community events, arts, and other matters of interest to the residents of Orleans County.



A group of employees bought *the Chronicle* from its founders in 2015 in order to keep the paper free of outside ownership and true to its original mission.

In the past 50 years, *the Chronicle* has offered a clear and accurate account of issues that matter to the people of the Northeast Kingdom. It offers a lively mix of straight news, profiles of some of our most interesting neighbors, and unusual stories readers will find nowhere else.

It is one of Vermont's largest-selling weekly newspapers sold through local stores as well as mail and online subscriptions. Since its earliest days each issue has been eagerly awaited for its unique portrait of Kingdom life, including obituaries, court news, and opinion columns. Readers seize the opportunity to express their ideas in *the Chronicle's* always interesting letters to the editor section, where a wide range of views are given voice.

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## Country Thyme Vermont

Country Thyme's quilt and gift shop is located in Troy, about a quarter mile from Community National Bank and the Junction Restaurant. Owner Kay Courson and her staff offer the exceptional customer service they are known for and always greet you with a smile.



They offer an excellent variety of fabric from top manufacturers, great sewing notions, and lots of fun and quality gifts. Specialty foods and an eclectic assortment of gifts are available for all ages. Gift baskets are their specialty. Giftwrapping and shipping is offered for your convenience!

Country Thyme is packed with wonderful, fun things. Even though they are focused more on the quilting side, they stock lots of gifts. If you can't find what you are looking for, ask and they will try to order it for you!

Country Thyme appreciates its customers for continuing to shop with them. As a thank-you, they've implemented a loyalty program which enables shoppers to earn a credit after six visits to use on a future visit. They want their customers to visit, have fun, enjoy the time spent there, and keep coming back again and again!

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## The Essex House & Tavern

The Essex House & Tavern, now entering its ninth year, is locally owned by David and Melinda Lamoureux, who resurrected the 1866-era building nestled in Vermont's Island Pond to house not only a 11-room hotel, but also a restaurant, tavern, banquet/function room, and a pavilion on the river's edge.



The atmosphere created is one that reflects the history of the Essex House by keeping the original wood supports and a modernized, antique aesthetic. All of the hotel rooms were renovated with new amenities while still retaining the building's quaint, historic style.

Guests and locals alike love dining for lunch and dinner at the renowned tavern. The menu carries many dinner options, there is a full bar, and the tavern offers eight draft beers.

The elegant banquet/function room offers a venue for rehearsal dinners, birthday parties, and other celebratory events.

Guests come first. Great pride is taken to make sure your stay is enjoyable and relaxing. Whether you are in town for some snowmobiling, skiing, camping or, fishing, visit The Essex House & Tavern — where the lake, river, and friends meet!

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Do you need your chainsaw or other outdoor power equipment repaired? Visit Scott Driver, owner of Driver's Outdoor Power Equipment, and an excellent mechanic. The West Charleston business both sells and services outdoor power machinery and tools such as lawn, garden, and forestry equipment, and is a dealer of Husqvarna, Oregon Forestry Products, Generac products, and Labonville Clothing, plus a large eBay store!



Driver's Outdoor Power Equipment offers competitive pricing, but it's the service that Scott and his employee Ray Smith pride themselves on.

"If I can't repair something, I'll find out who can, or if it's even possible, or if it's even worth fixing," he says.

Scott has been in business for almost 20 years, but the shop has been in operation for over 45 years. He is completely knowledgeable in his field and enjoys talking to customers and trying to help solve their problems.

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Danielle LaPlante, BS; Kerry Keement, Rebekah Ranslow and Patricia Fontaine.

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## Gray's Paving & Asphalt Plant, Inc.

Owners Mark and Heather Gray, alongside Mark's father, Arnold Gray, have been building their family's paving business since 1984, serving all the Northeast Kingdom. Their scope of work includes commercial, municipal, state, and residential projects. From asphalt paving, sweeping, grading and excavation, as well as winter services, to plowing, sanding, salting and snow removal.



In addition to paving, the owners erected their own one-ton drop-batch asphalt plant in Coventry in 2009 to better serve its customers. Materials for making their Virgin Mix Asphalt are purchased from Calkins Sand & Gravel.

They have provided the highest quality materials and workmanship to thousands throughout the Northeast Kingdom. Gray's Paving & Asphalt offers free written estimates, and all work is fully guaranteed. The company is based on the principles of honesty, integrity, and customer satisfaction from estimate to finished product!

The asphalt plant usually opens in mid-May through October. For all your paving or asphalt needs, call or email Gray's Paving & Asphalt Plant, Inc.

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## Galaxy Bookshop

The Galaxy Bookshop, founded in 1988, is owned by Sandy Scott and Andrea Jones. Sandy has worked there since 1999 and Andrea was a long-time customer before they purchased the store in 2014. Together they have a commitment to supporting the greater Hardwick community.



The shop carries new books for all ages and interests as well as a hand-picked selection of puzzles, games, cards, journals, and literary-minded gifts.

Along with their five employees, they pride themselves on their customer service and a carefully curated inventory that is selected with their customers and community members in mind. The shop is a welcoming space where people can comfortably browse and discover books that speak to them.

If you are looking for more, a monthly book club hosted at the bookshop and several author events will be scheduled for the coming year. Those events will be posted on their website.

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## The Gap Pub and Grill

The Gap Pub and Grill is a family-owned restaurant in Westmore. It has been locally owned by Barb and Mike Lacoss, along with their daughters Olivia and Bria since 2016. It is beautifully located near the North Beach of Lake Willoughby and is directly on the VAST trails. It's a scenic drive no matter how you arrive and well worth the trip out.



The casual atmosphere is relaxing, the food incredible and staff awesome. It's a great place for either a meal or a little refreshment. The menu features local ingredients whenever possible. Along with the pub menu, there is a large draft beer selection and full bar.

The talented kitchen staff will help make for a memorable dining experience, along with those in the front of house who will not only serve you but get to know you as well. You will want to go back!

Check on their Facebook page or website for updates, specials, and events.



Normal Hours: Pub open 7 days a week.  
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## Green Mountain Sporting Goods/ Nancy's Video

For nearly two decades Nancy's Video has shared its location with Green Mountain Sporting Goods. What started out as a video store with hunting and fishing items now has turned into a full-service hunting and firearms store.



Located on Route 5 in Irasburg, just up the hill from Coventry Village, the store offers what owners Brien and Trish Lemois call one-stop shopping. With a staff of five people, they pride themselves on friendly customer service and getting the job done right.

Brien's parents wanted to leave the inner city of Rhode Island to raise their young children Brien and Barbara. They looked across the country just to find what they were looking for in Vermont. In 1989 Brien Sr. and Nancy moved the children and Nancy's parents to a small town in the NEK and set roots. In 1990 they opened Nancy's Video. Brien Sr. and Nancy owned the store until his death in 1998 at which point the daily operations were turned over to Barbara. In 2004 Brien came home to help his sister run the family store, however in 2005 Barbara passed away and Brien bought the video store from his mother.

In 2006 Brien opened Green Mountain Sporting Goods and built on the businesses success on the same formula of personal service and always going the extra mile for the customer. For 32 years Nancy's Video was the source of video entertainment for Orleans County until it closed its doors in June 2023. Brien kept the video store going until it was the last video store in the state of Vermont. Its closing was a bittersweet end for Brien and was the end of the era.

Green Mountain Sporting Goods offers handguns, rifles, shotguns, ammunition, sights, parts and accessories with a master gunsmith on site. It has the largest selection of fishing gear in the NEK and offers custom-built baits and rods. It also makes custom-built rifles and 1911s, does firearm restoration and in-house custom cerakoting. Recently, they underwent a huge 6,000 sq. ft. expansion which includes an archery range.

Whether you're an avid sportsman, or just stocking up for movie night, you'll find what you need at Green Mountain Sporting Goods.



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## Hayes Ford

Hayes Ford has been a family affair since it started in 1971. M. John Hayes II, known as Big John, started selling cars in 1958 in Franklin County, then headed to the Northeast Kingdom to buy the dealership and it has been going strong ever since. His son Mark joined the business, then with his brother Michael, took over. They remained partners for 20 years until Michael left the area. Mark, the sole owner now, still sells quality Fords and Lincolns alongside his sales team.

The East Main Street building where Hayes Ford is located was built in the 1940s during World War II. It is the fourth dealership on the grounds. It has grown throughout the years and now has about 31 full-time and 6 part-time employees. They're proud to be an integral part of the community and enjoy giving back by hosting fundraising events for local community groups, delivering complete Thanksgiving meals to local families, and gifts to local nursing home residents at Christmas.

Hayes Ford can offer everything to meet your vehicle needs, all in one place. They have a service department with Master Certified technicians, parts and accessories, reconditioning, rentals, full-service body repair shop, and diesel truck shop, along with transmission specialists. Hayes Ford offers hometown values in an effort to build customers for life!

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## Heritage Memorials, Inc.

Heritage Memorials, Inc. is owned and operated by Lori and Scott Bianchi. Scott is the fourth generation in the granite industry. Scott and Lori have been working in granite manufacturing, sales, and service for over 30 years. They have a combined experience of over 50 years. Scott and Lori both grew up in the Newport area and enjoy raising their two children in the beautiful Northeast Kingdom. They work together as a team every day at their business, and as a family.



At Heritage Memorials they offer sales and service of all granite products throughout all of New England and further areas. They provide customers with personal sales and service for customized memorials and countertops. The monuments are produced out of their local granite shed.

They can provide you with many granite products such as monuments, granite benches, cremation memorials, granite and quartz countertops, desk plaques, house plaques, steps, hearths, mantles, mailbox posts, and much more. They offer the following services: lettering and repairs, sandblasting of metal parts, complete cemetery restoration, and cleaning of monuments or entire cemeteries.

The company's purpose is to provide personal customer service and top-quality products in designing custom memorials. Their designs can range from a carving with roses to a full etched scene of your family farm. Each monument they design is unique to each customer. Their goal is to help their customers create a beautiful and personal memorial in memory of their loved ones that will last forever.



At Heritage Memorials they take pride in their work, from a small grass marker to a large custom monument. They also enjoy helping restore cemeteries to their original beauty. Scott and Lori thank the community for their continued support, and for the opportunity to work with you and your families.

They welcome you to stop by for a tour of their facility.

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## Hearing Center of Vermont

Heidi Eichenberger, BC-HIS, of the Hearing Center of Vermont, has a hearing problem herself, so she knows what it's like and is eager to help. The center is a full-service hearing aid retail sales and repair service.

They provide complete hearing testing, hearing instrument fitting, repairs, and industrial/commercial testing. They sell hearing aids from all leading manufacturers, which include a complete line of advanced technology hearing aids and accessories, including custom-fit ear molds for both behind the ear and in the ear applications.

Ms. Eichenberger is happy to help and says the technology has advanced so that hearing aids are comfortable to wear, and a wide variety of hearing problems can be remedied (including tinnitus in most patients). When necessary, she does house calls. They accept Medicaid and other government programs which provide hearing aids at little to no cost for those in need and will work with any private insurance provider that covers hearing aids.

Drop in and speak with Ms. Eichenberger for a free, no obligation assessment of your hearing and an introduction to the product line or visit their website.



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## J.B. Colton Lumber & Hardware

J.B. Colton Lumber & Hardware store was established in 1875. Business owner Jeff Rice worked at the store for several years before he and his wife, Linda, purchased the store in 2015.

They are a full-service hardware and building supply store that is kept well stocked. You will find everything from building supplies, hardware, tools, Benjamin Moore paints, household products, outdoor grills, snow removal tools and equipment, gardening supplies, and so much more.

Need an estimate on building materials? Stop by, give them a call, or email them your materials list. They provide free estimates on building materials and will deliver them to your location for your convenience.

For great customer service, consider J.B. Colton Lumber & Hardware your one stop shop for all your building, hardware, and household product needs.



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## Juddy's Septic Service

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## Kjya DeToma



Kjya DeToma is the advertising sales representative for *the Chronicle* and part owner of the company. She is a dedicated professional with a strong track record in client services and advertising management.

Her mission is to foster lasting relationships with clients, both existing and new, while providing exceptional service and support. Kjya has a deep understanding of her client's needs and goes above and beyond for them.

She enjoys visiting with her clients, many of whom have become friends.

Kjya also works part-time as a bartender at The Gap Pub & Grill, which has led her to some contacts for possible advertising.

Call or email Kjya to explore how you can collaborate for mutual success.

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## Labour of Love Landscaping & Nursery



With over 800 varieties of perennials, Labour of Love Landscaping & Nursery is a full-service design, build, and maintain landscaping firm. It is also a retail and wholesale nursery with a wide choice of flowering plants available as potted sales stock.

Owner Kate Butler has been in business for almost 40 years, and with very few exceptions (primarily for special orders), she propagates what she sells. The plants are guaranteed to be Zone 3 hardy and are large, healthy, and well-grown. Labour of Love is known for its unusual perennials that do well in the Northeast Kingdom climate and are not found elsewhere locally. She grows over 150 named varieties of *Sempervivum*, over 150 named varieties of *Hemerocallis* (daylily), as well as many "instant gratification" sizes of iris, daylilies, and much more.

For Ms. Butler as an avid gardener since childhood, it was a natural segue from vegetables when her children were growing up to flowers. Folks are invited to visit the magnificent gardens surrounding her 1800s Greek Revival home with its antiques shop, handweaving studio and picnic tables anytime during daylight hours. Stop by and visit when you have the chance.

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## LandVest | FOREST RESOURCES

LandVest's Forest Resources Division provides a complete suite of forest management and land sales services. LandVest Senior Advisor Richard Carbonetti has provided services in Vermont for over 42 years. Vermont LandVest staff include David DeGruttola, Forest Resources Region Manager, Peter Lucas, Operations Forester, and Danielle Wright, Office Manager. Foresters all comply with Vermont's Forester Licensing Law. LandVest foresters are members of the Association of Consulting Foresters and the Society of American Foresters. We are staffed to provide GIS mapping and timber marketing services. LandVest maintains a land surveying department lead by Dana Masson, VT-NH licensed surveyor, working this region out of the West Stewartstown, New Hampshire, office. Dana can be reached by calling the West Stewartstown, New Hampshire, office at 603-246-8800. LandVest is certified to the FSC® (license code FSC-C120428) and SFI® (NSF-SFI-FM-C0316874) standards, and Tree Farm® 3rd Party Green Certified, offering quality, ethical service with the highest possible economic return to their clients.

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## MAC Center for the Arts



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Now in its 19th year on Main Street in Newport, it continues to grow with new members, new work, new exhibits and a warm welcome to everyone who needs to find that unusual special something.

The MAC website is full of information and photographs of work by the members as well as special events, workshops and their annual Sale in December. This summer Art in Bloom returns the weekend of August 8th and 9th with an opening reception that Friday (a ticketed event). More details of all upcoming events are on the MAC website.

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## Northeast Kingdom Hemp/Kingdom Kind



Cam and Karen Devereux started Northeast Kingdom Hemp in 2017. Since then, what started as a small, family



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Barton, Kingdom Kind, where they offer their complete line of NEK Hemp CBD and Vermont Kind THC products as well

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## Northeast TV & Music Shop

Northeast TV & Music Shop owners, Michael and Connie Routhier, opened in February 1, 1980, and have been offering quality service and fair prices ever since. Mike, who had previously worked at Montgomery Ward, started the shop when that store closed to keep the sale of musical instruments and service local. Now celebrating their 45th year in business they are back at their original location when they first opened for business on Saint Laurent Street in Newport. They pride themselves in bringing you the newest and best in products and a commitment to satisfaction.



Northeast TV & Music offers musical instruments and accessories, sheet music, music stands, fine quality top-name instruments, and strings. They also carry guitars and amps, including a line of Teton Guitars, Washburn Guitars, and Electro Harmonix Pedals an assortment of guitars, accessories, and Ernie Ball strings. Guitar set-up and repair services are also available.

Mike has implemented a program for "orphaned instruments" — instruments you might have lying around that you don't use or need anymore. If you have one you would like to sell, they will sell it for you on consignment. Or, stop by and check out the inventory of orphaned instruments, such as guitars, amps, and orchestral instruments.

They believe satisfaction and full disclosure before the sale are vital to customer satisfaction.

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## Northern Embroidery Corp.

Northern Embroidery, a family-run business, is owned by Sara Merrill who has 8 years previous experience managing an embroidery store.

Sara likes to meet her customers one-on-one to help them understand all the services she offers and so they can see a sample of product being offered.

Sara carries apparel for custom embroidery and screen printing, and does custom sublimation for mugs and tumblers.

A new Barudan 6-head embroidery machine was purchased to increase embroidery capacity. Several new heat presses were also added to increase product offerings for large orders. Specialty and commercial accounts are always welcome.

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## Oil Supply Corp.

Oil Supply Corp was established in 1992 in Orleans. Robert Pion, a long-time employee who became the owner with his wife, Susy, in 2009, moved the office to Troy on a snowy December day.

Robert went on to grow the business, keeping the two new employees from 2009, Ann and Mike, and adding a part-time peddle truck driver in the winter. First was Rene who has gone on to semi retire, then Brian as the spare guy. Jeff is still the main transport driver keeping the bulk plant full. Darren has been the spare transport driver helping in the winter when things get busy.

Currently, Oil Supply delivers in the Orleans County area and has expanded into Essex County. They offer the following types of fuel: #2 fuel oil, kerosene, and on- and off-road diesel for both residential and commercial customers. Bulk transport deliveries are availbale for larger customers.

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*The Orleans County Conservation District has been leading local conservation efforts and serving land stewards in our county since 1946.*

Our mission is to protect and enhance the soils and waters of our county by encouraging the adoption of sound land stewardship practices. Our eight member board and staff of five works hard to improve water quality, protect the natural and working landscapes, and support best management practices by providing assessments, conservation planning, project management and program navigation services. Program offerings include:

- Farm Teams
- Riparian and lakeshore restoration
- Water quality monitoring and soil and manure sampling
- Educational events and resources
- Leadership of a locally-led conservation community engagement effort
- Providing the community with our Annual Plant Sale over 40 years

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## Orleans Country Club

Established in 1928, the club's motto from the beginning has been "The best little golf club in the world where good folks get together and enjoy each other." Prepare yourself for an unparalleled golfing experience at Orleans Country Club.



Constantly evolving, the course offers Family Tees and Forward Tees adapting to all skill levels of play. A variety of memberships are available which include an amazing members' benefits package. Can't commit to a membership—multi-play packages and favorable discount offerings are sure to please. Manic Mondays, Military/ First Responder, and Twilight specials are just a few of the many offerings.

Customer reviews include:

*"Beautiful course. Well maintained, challenging, and just a great experience for a day of golf."* - R.M. *"Greatest place on earth, course is fantastic."* - J.L. *"Always an enjoyable time here. Food tastes fresh with a nice variety. Enjoy a meal and beautiful views from a screened in porch. Staff are always welcoming and friendly."* - D.B.

Providing you with an all-around great experience, Orleans Country Club features fairways to test your accuracy and water hazards, trees, and bunkers to stimulate your decision making. Join the fun!

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## Paul's Sugarhouse & Dance Hall

Paul and Rhina Letourneau started Paul's Sugarhouse back in 1972. He wanted a sugarhouse. She wanted a dance hall. Jane and Larry Snider love keeping up their family legacy and giving the community a place to get together.



Paul's Sugarhouse is a venue for weddings, anniversaries, birthday parties, bridal/baby showers, reunions, meetings, and dances. It provides an indoor space for whatever type of function you are putting together, striving to make every event as easy as possible for the hosts.

You can just rent the dance hall for your function, or they will show you everything they offer, and you decide what you would like. From catering to full on decorations so you can spend more time on other aspects of your event to make things as easy as possible for you.

There are multiple menus you can choose from. All of them are "all you can eat." No one leaves hungry.

A lot of parties have happened over the past 52+ years. Many people have come and gone through the doors at Paul's Sugarhouse. Many have had their wedding reception there, many have also been married there, had their 25th anniversary party, and their child's wedding at Paul's. It's a multi-generational establishment.

And, if you didn't already assume it — Paul's also makes Pure Vermont Maple Syrup from their 5,300 trees.

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## The Pick & Shovel

The Pick & Shovel, in business since 1975, is a maze of aisles where you'll find just about anything, because if they don't have it, you don't need it. They're an adventure, not just a hardware store. You've never seen a place like this before. The clerks not only walk you to what you came for, they'll answer every question along the way.



They are proud to offer in-store services for your convenience and general happiness. Services include key cutting, coin operated laundromat, pool water testing, chainsaw blade sharpening, scissor sharpening, mower blade sharpening, lumber cut to size, window screen replacement/repair, glass window repair including plexiglass, shade cutting, pipe threading, and UPS services. Many services are free of charge, so make sure to ask. One of the many, red-vested clerks will be happy to help you.

At the Pick & Shovel you will find everything from nuts and bolts to clothing and pets. They have a pet store that is so huge some even call it the "Newport Zoo." They even have an ice cream shop called Tim and Doug's that is open from March to October.

Get lost at The Pick & Shovel — Vermont's Wicked Wonderful not so General Store.

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## Rays Towing & Recovery



Back in June of 2003 Steve Ellis and Dale Mosher decided to venture out on a new journey in the automotive repair and towing business. Ray Geoffrey who was Dale's neighbor at the time, was looking to slow down a bit and semi retire after 30 years of running Ray's Auto. At the time they bought Ray out, they started with one employee and two trucks. Dale was still working his full-time job and helping in the shop on nights and weekends until he moved to full time in 2010 working outside, in the rain and snow.

A few years later they added on to the building so Dale could work on big trucks and heavy equipment inside where it was warm and dry. Over the years the business grew with the help of some wonderful, dedicated employees. Fast forward to 2024, with technicians getting hard to find, Dale finally retiring, and Steve not wanting to work full time in the shop, they decided to sell the automotive repair side of the business. Doing this would allow them to focus more on the towing side which had grown to a fleet of 10 wreckers, rollbacks and fleet service vehicles that can service anything from motorcycles to loaded tractor trailers.

As of January 16, 2025, Marc Gaudreau and Charlie Chase purchased and continue to operate the automotive repair business under the name Ray's Auto. A name people have known for great honest service for the last 50 years.

Steve along with his two boys Manning and Zak are continuing to grow the towing and recovery business under the name Ellis & Mosher, Inc. (D/B/A Ray's Towing & Recovery). With them are their great employees, Shauna Kelley, who keeps the day-to-day operations and dispatching going, Scott Dowland one of their very dedicated rollback operators, and Larry Villeneuve who is the heavy-duty mechanic keeping all their heavy-duty customers and their own fleet running.

"Thank you to all our past and present customers who have supported us over the years and will continue to support us through this new journey of towing, recovery, and heavy-duty repair."

Sincerely,

Steve and the Ray's Towing crew

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Roasters Cafe and Deli has been family owned and operated since 2003. Owners Matthew and Nicole Staples offer both full-service breakfast and lunch. The food is excellent and reasonably priced.

All breads and pastries are made in-house from scratch, with many of the recipes handed down through family.

Breakfast is best known for the delicious corned beef hash and homemade muffins. The lunch menu includes gourmet sandwiches, soups, quiche, salads, artisan breads, and scrumptious desserts. There are always tasty and innovative daily specials — something a little different for the adventurous. The menu also includes a variety of Green Mountain coffees, espresso, and Tazo teas.

Roasters is the kind of place where people can relax, take advantage of the free Wi-Fi, and enjoy a high-quality, wonderful meal. The cafe and deli are open from 6 a.m. to 2 p.m., Monday through Saturday.

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## ReCreations Styling Salon

ReCreations Styling Salon is a full-service salon for men, women, and children. They also offer manicures, duo pedicures, gel polish, acrylic nails, lash extensions, and massage.

ReCreations is a well-established business with a staff that has many years of experience. The staff consists of proprietor Cally Moulton, stylist Patty Avery, stylist Moira Quirion, stylist Amber Brown, stylist and nail technician Angie Falconer, eye lash technician Alysha Grenier, and intuitive massage and body work with Tricia Laramée.

The service is friendly and the atmosphere is cozy, so customers feel at home. ReCreations has clients ranging in age from 1 to 102 and strives to give each one individual attention. Customers can also expect a cheerful, laid-back atmosphere. Probably even a few good laughs.

ReCreations has a convenient location with plenty of parking and a variety of products that will fit anyone's needs. They offer vegan/gluten free Aluram products, Biolage, Matrix Total Results, and some Paul Mitchell — something to fit anyone's needs with friendly prices.

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## Roberto's Neopolitan Style Pizza

Stop by Roberto's Neopolitan Style Pizza and try the "NEK's best pizza and appetizers." They have something for everyone and are 100 percent recommended on Facebook.

Their new menu offers 33 specialty pizzas, build your own pizza, a wide variety of appetizers, salads, calzones, stromboli, and local homemade desserts. Every pizza is topped with the freshest possible quality ingredients on a handmade Neopolitan crust. All pizzas are also offered on a gluten-free cauliflower crust as well as vegan options.

While you wait, you can enjoy some free pool, vintage video games, a racing simulator or go next door and visit their ice cream/candy store — New Kone on the Block.

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## Red House Rentals and Property Management, LLC

Red House Rentals is a totally dedicated real estate rental and property management company including handyman services. Located at 79 Coventry Street in Newport since 2021. Lee Fitzgerald, the owner, has been in real estate since 1995 in New Hampshire and relocated to Coventry, VT in 2008 making their Vermont get-away home their permanent home.

Red House Rentals became a reality after working in the Vermont rental world since 2013.

The staff includes Kim Rappold, office manager, they offer handyman services and a cleaning crew. Red House Rentals offers 24/7 service to landlords and tenants. They are knowledgeable about the area and property management needs. They are ready to meet your real estate needs whether you are a homeowner looking to maximize the use of your property or tenants looking for a new rental. They have many landlords from all over the country who feel confident having Red House Rentals step in to manage their properties.

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## Shattuck Motors

Shattuck Motors is a local, family-owned, and operated automobile, tractor, heavy equipment dealer, and NAPA Autocare service facility in business for the last 42 years. They have a very helpful and professional sales staff and five service technicians ready to take care of all your vehicle needs.

In 2021 Shattuck Motors expanded, opening a second sales location devoted to the sale and service of all brands of tractors and equipment, now offering two convenient locations next door to each other.

Owner Brad Shattuck and his team of eight employees pride themselves in providing the highest quality pre-owned vehicles at the lowest prices. For over 42 years customers have been returning to Shattuck Motors for the quick, stress-free buying experience they offer, as well as the unequaled service after the sale.

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Ryan Moore

The Taylor-Moore Agency is a third-generation family business that has been offering insurance services for Vermont and New Hampshire since 1962. The owner, Ryan Moore, and his staff have more than a century's worth of combined insurance experience.

In May 2023, Taylor-Moore Agency bought Rock Insurance, a trusted staple in the Barton area since 1978. Just like Taylor-Moore Agency, Rock Insurance is committed to providing exceptional value and personalized service to its customers in a professional, honest, and fun manner.

Taylor-Moore Agency and Rock Insurance are Independent Agencies offering many types of insurance including: farm, business, commercial, home, auto, motorcycle, ATVs, and snowmobiles. They work with over fifteen different insurance companies, which allows them to offer the most competitive rates.

As a client of Taylor-Moore and Rock Insurance, not only will you receive the best service, but they will also complete periodic reviews of your insurance coverages and premiums to help you save money and find the best coverage available to you.

Give Taylor-Moore Agency or Rock Insurance a call today, and one of their experienced agents is ready to offer you a comparison quote customized to your insurance needs.



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## Taylor's Automotive Inc.

Taylor's Automotive is a local family-owned auto repair shop. They work on foreign and domestic vehicles. Owners, Eric and Tracy Taylor, could not run the business without their qualified employees: Jonathon Currier, Jeremy Taylor, Jason Martin, Joshua Lee, Heidi Taylor and Tammi Hodgdon. Their goal still is and always has been to provide the best quality, most honest and friendly service. Their qualified, friendly, honest staff are always here ready to help you anytime.



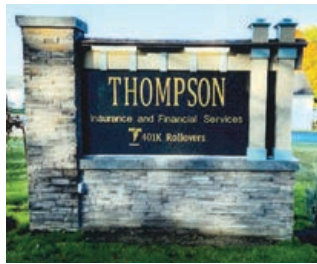
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## West Charleston Corner Store

Michael and Linda Bowen are now celebrating their fifth year in business at the West Charleston Corner Store.

The Bowens' store is an overall general store offering groceries, beer, and wine, dog and cat food, a full line of farm/animal feed, their own maple syrup, local eggs, and honey as well as breakfast sandwiches and other home-cooked foods. Sandwiches are made fresh daily. They offer made-to-order pizza, Green Mountain Coffee, iced coffee, and Ben & Jerry's ice cream. They also carry memory bears, memory pillows, table runners, and lap quilts custom-made locally. You can also get your gas and off-road diesel there, cookout supplies, and even bring your bottles back for bottle redemption.

Michael and Linda make their customers feel welcome and let them know they appreciate their business. Stop in and see all that this corner store has to offer. And, if you stop in on the weekend, grab an Amish doughnut while you're there!



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## Walt's Sales & Service Inc.



Left to right, Max Bly, Bob Bean, Dustin Beloin, Brandon Malshuk, Logan Curtis, Marie-Josée Jenness, Chris Jenness and Scott Jenness.

In 1967 Walt and Joyce Jenness opened Walt's Sales & Service on Main St. in Derby, a business devoted to the sales and service of lawn and garden equipment as well as snowmobiles. Today, 58 years later, Walt's Sales & Service is a thriving family business. Walt's is probably best known as the local distributor, and the largest dealer in Vermont of BRP products that include Ski-doo snowmobiles, Sea-doo watercrafts, Can-am off-road and on-road products. Walt's Sales & Service Inc. has received numerous District Dealer of the year awards from the manufacturer for their superb representation of the BRP products in which they retail. Walt's also carries Toro L.C.E equipment as well as CF-Mato ATV and Side-by-Side vehicles. Any powersport enthusiast will tell you that Walt's offers a great selection and competitive prices on vehicles as well as parts, accessories and outerwear for whatever your adventure may be. Not only does Walt's Sales & Service Inc. provide outstanding products, but they also employ factory-trained technicians to keep your vehicle in great working order and ready for your next ride!

Walt's Sales & Service Inc. is a third generation powersport dealership serving customers near and far. Scott Jenness now manages the dealership with his wife Marie-Josée Jenness, while Chris Jenness manages the parts department and Scott manages the service department. To help Scott in the sales department you will find Brandon Malshuk who is ready to assist you in your next purchase. One thing that everyone knows about Walt's is its outstanding service. In the service department you will find Robert Bean, Max Bly, Dustin Beloin, and Logan Curtis, all of whom are factory-trained technicians ready to assist you at any moment.

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