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COURSES &
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Montreal Excursion: Atwater Market & The Georgia O’Keeffe & Henry Moore “Giants of Modern Art” Exhibit 👤

with Patsy Jamieson
Tuesday, May 21, 9 am–6 pm
Fee: \$80

Indulge in a brief visit and lunch on your own at the Atwater Market. Enjoy a private Musée des Beaux Arts tour, which brings together Modern art icons Georgia O’Keeffe and Henry Moore to explore their mutual love for nature. Recreated studios highlight their shared collections of found objects, while sections delve into their fascination with bones and stones, showcasing their unique interpretations. Coach transportation provided. Park at UVM Gutterson Garage and meet in front of Patrick Gymnasium.

Classics of the Foreign Film: *The Seventh Seal* 👤

with Rick Winston and Barry Snyder
Wednesday, June 5, 10:30 am–1 pm
Fee: \$15

Join film historians Rick Winston and Barry Snyder for a screening and discussion of Ingmar Bergman’s 1957 *The Seventh Seal*, a hallmark of art house cinema. The film follows a disillusioned knight pursued by Death through plague-ravished Europe; it is renowned for its stark imagery, symbolism, and gallows humor. Discussion will delve into the film’s creation, Bergman’s legacy, its impact on the art house movement in the U.S., and changes in American cinema it inspired. This screening kicks off a series continuing in the fall. Light refreshments provided. Held in Burlington.

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Beginning Yoga, Session 1

with Amanda McIntire

Wednesdays, June 5–26, 5:30–6:30 pm

Fee: \$40

In this online, introductory class, learn the basics of yoga, including the physical practice (asana), breathing techniques (pranayama), and meditation. Required equipment: Yoga or exercise mat. Yoga blocks are encouraged. This session will be recorded.

SPECIAL INTEREST GROUP!

Forbidden Pages: Banned Books Club

with Rebecca Starks

Wednesday, June 5, 4:30–6:00 pm

Fee: FREE to members

In this online program, we will read and discuss another frequently banned book: *The Kite Runner* by Khaled Hosseini. We will discuss the reasons given for banning, any discomfort the book causes in us, and the value we might find in that discomfort. New participants are welcome. Limited seats.



Catamount Community Forest Bird Walk

with Julie Filiberti

Thursday, June 6, 9–10:30 am

Fee: \$15

Participants will have a chance to observe, identify, and learn about some local birds on this easy slow-paced walk at the Catamount Community Forest. Walk will be one mile round-trip on some uneven terrain. Held in Williston.

Katharine Montstream Studio Visit

with Katharine Montstream

Wednesday, June 12, 10:30–11:30 am

Fee: \$20

Enjoy this intimate view of Katharine’s work—how it all started and what’s around the corner. Learn about her experience as a Vermont artist. Discover Katharine’s other passion with the ‘Red Hot Chilly Dippers’, a community that regularly dips into the icy waters of Lake Champlain, releasing endorphins, adrenaline, and joy! Held at the Soda Plant in Burlington.

Forest Walk: Managing Forests for Wood, Water, Wildlife, and Climate Change

with Ethan Tapper

Thursday, June 13, 10:30 am–noon

Fee: \$15

Join Ethan Tapper, the Chittenden County Forester and author of “How to Love a Forest,” for a walk through an area of the Hinesburg Town Forest managed from 2018 to 2020. Ethan will discuss forest management for various objectives, including resilience, adaptability, wildlife habitat, and the preservation of “old growth characteristics.” Held in Hinesburg.

Compassionate Endings: The Role of an End of Life Doula

with Frances Pope

Tuesday, June 18, 1:30–2:30 pm

Fee: \$15

In this online program, understand the essential functions of an End of Life Doula and how these services may benefit anyone interested in end-of-life planning. Discuss the unique roles End of Life Doulas may offer in ensuring people live and die well.

Shelburne Museum Exhibit: New England Now: Strange States

with Carolyn Bauer

Thursday, June 20, 10–11:30 am

Fee: \$25

From Nathaniel Hawthorne to Stephen King, the depths of the psyche and the surreal have long fascinated New England artists. Twelve multidisciplinary artists from the region tap into a rich tapestry of mediums and techniques to create their perceptions of the ethereal grounded in topics of mythology, environmentalism, the ideals of beauty, transformation, and gender and cultural identity. Come for a private gallery tour from the Curator Carolyn Bauer. Held in Shelburne.

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Shelburne Farms: Sun to Cheese Tour 🧑🏫

with Shelburne Farms Guide
Thursday, June 20, 2-4 pm
Fee: \$25

Where does the story begin with our delicious farmstead cheddar cheese? Come join us on a behind-the-scenes tour to discover the art and science of cheesemaking. Watch the cheesemakers in our Farm Barn cheesemaking facility turn our raw milk into cheddar cheese. At a private cheese tasting, taste the flavors of the farm in a guided sampling of our cheddar. Then, visit the dairy, meet the cows that make the milk, and find out how we care for our landscape, pastures, and Brown Swiss herd. Held in Shelburne.

SPECIAL INTEREST GROUP! Essential Poetry: Dog Days of Poetry

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 with Mary Rose Dougherty
Tuesday, June 25, 4-5 pm
Fee: FREE to members

In this online class, deepen your understanding of the essential aspects of poetry by taking a playful romp through dog poems written by well-known poets such as Mary Oliver, Mark Doty, Ted Kooser, and Christopher Smart. Come, sit, stay, and take a closer look as we sniff out how personification, music, diction, and other poetic elements work to advance a narrative storyline or enhance the lyrical experience of all things dogs through language. Our aim is to leave everyone begging for more as we explore the true essence of poetry!

Realistic Colored Pencil Techniques 🧑🏫

with Corrina Thurston
Wednesday, June 26, 10:30 am-1 pm
Fee: \$30

Follow instructor and renowned artist Corrina Thurston as she walks you through how to use colored pencil to create vibrant, opaque, detailed drawings. Learn layering, blending, color matching, and come away with a small, finished piece. Materials provided. Open to all levels. Held in Milton.

SPECIAL INTEREST GROUP! How Art Happens: Exploring Art as a Process with Time-Lapse & Stop Motion 📺 🎧

with Michael Strauss
Thursday, June 27, 10:30 am- noon
Fee: FREE to members

In this online, discussion-based class, explore the meaning of Process Art, learning through time lapse and stop motion videos which delve into mediums like charcoal, ink, and acrylics. Understand art as both product and process. Analyze William Kentridge's stop motion film "Stereoscope," addressing apartheid's legacy. Study Kentridge's concept of time in "The Refusal of Time." Experience "Unsupervised" at MoMA, an AI-generated exhibit transforming centuries of art in real-time, contemplating technology, creativity, and modern art. This class welcomes beginners and participants with all levels of expertise.

Natural Burial: Choosing To Sustain The Future 📺 🎧

with Michelle Acciavatti
Monday, July 8, 5:30-7 pm
Fee: \$15

In this online presentation, through personal experiences and insights, Michelle illuminates the essence of natural burial and offers practical planning tips. Natural burial, a conservation-focused approach to laying loved ones to rest, offers a unique blend of sustainability, community, and legacy crafting. Michelle Acciavatti, a pioneer in Vermont's natural burial movement since 2016, founded Vermont Forest Cemetery in 2023. It's the state's first dedicated natural burial ground, intertwining burial, conservation, art, learning, and community. This holistic approach fosters a deep connection to the land and fulfills our mourning needs.

Bound and Covered: A Visual Exploration of Book Bans Throughout History 📺 🎧

with Oceana Wilson
Tuesday, July 9, 10:30-11:30 am
Fee: \$15



This online presentation will share a visual history of book banning and censorship, as well as the fight against these attempts and for the Freedom to Read in contemporary times.

Beginning Yoga, Session 2 📺 🎧

with Amanda McIntire
Wednesdays, July 10-31, 5:30-6:30 pm
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In this online, introductory class, learn the basics of yoga, including the physical practice (asana), breathing techniques (pranayama), and meditation. Required equipment: Yoga or exercise mat. Yoga blocks are encouraged. This session will be recorded.

Labyrinth Walking for Peace and Clarity 🧑🧑

with Rev. Don Chatfield

Thursday, July 11, 10:30 am-noon

Fee: \$20

Explore the practice of labyrinth walking for meditation and prayer. Experience the woodland labyrinth at All Souls Interfaith Gathering, along with the Nature Path, Sacred Earth Wheel, and interfaith sanctuary. Rev. Don Chatfield will provide an overview of the history of labyrinths and lead you through a meditative experience in nature. Held in Shelburne.

Walking Tour: Mill Power Sites at Winooski Falls 🧑🧑

with Heritage Winooski Mill Museum

Tuesday, July 16, 11 am-noon

Fee: \$20

Learn about Winooski's industrial past through a guided walking tour along the river front. Points of interest will include water power features, mill architecture, and other remnants from Winooski's mill manufacturing days. Take a look at the modern Winooski One Hydro Plant and fish elevator. This walking tour follows paved walkways and a rough gravel path. Good walking shoes recommended. Held in Winooski.

Green Mountain Growers: Killeen Crossroads Farm 🧑🧑

with Breana Killeen and Marissa Pappalardo

Wednesday, July 17, 10:30 am-noon

Fee: \$20

Explore how a Chef and a Professor became farmers as they share their journey. Delve into their regenerative farming practices, which rejuvenate soil health through the integration of animals, organic inputs, and natural pest management. Discover their efforts in diversifying Vermont's crops with an array of Asian vegetables. Round off your experience with a visit to their onsite vegetable stand. There will be some uneven terrain, and a good amount of standing. Wearing comfortable shoes and sun protection is recommended. Held in Shelburne.

Trapp Family Lodge History Tour 🧑🧑

with Trapp Family Lodge

Thursday, July 18, 11:00 am-12:30 pm

Fee: \$30

Gain insight to the truths and imagined story lines in the *Sound of Music* and get an in depth look at how the von Trapps escaped Austria and ended up here in beautiful Stowe, Vermont. Watch a 20-minute documentary about Maria's last trip to Salzburg and if you are lucky, you may even get to meet a family member and hear what their experience was like growing up with Maria. Held in Stowe.

Summer Medicinal Herb Walk 🧑🧑

with Katherine Elmer

Friday, July 19, 10:30 am-noon

Fee: \$15

Join community herbalist Katherine Elmer of Spoonful Herbs to meet common medicinal plants growing in backyards and urban spaces on a walk at the UVM campus. Plant identification and safe harvesting of plants from urban areas will also be discussed. You might come away with a newfound appreciation for those "nuisance weeds"! Held on UVM campus.

Green Mountain Growers: Farm Craft VT Seed-to-Soap Tour 🧑🧑

with Farm Craft VT

Wednesday, July 24, 10:30 am-noon

Fee: \$20

Embark on this private tour and sensory experience at the Farm Craft Vermont. Explore the shop, six beehives, the herb garden, the sunflower crop, and the drying room. Finish up in the farm lab where they process raw materials into herb teas, soaps, lotions, and other botanical products. Discover their production process, from seed to soap, with opportunities to smell the herbs, taste the honey, and experience the aroma of the soaps along the way. The farm has gravel and mulch paths and roads with gentle slopes. The total distance walked is about 1,500 feet. Held in Shelburne.

Thea Alvin: My Earthwork Sculpture Park Tour 🧑🧑

with Thea Alvin

Thursday, July 25, 10:30 am-noon

Fee: \$20

Experience this guided tour of Thea Alvin's sculpture park and gardens, featuring a demonstration of simple arch building. Bring your own lunch or drawing materials to enjoy on the grounds or at the picnic tables at your leisure. Standing or walking on uneven terrain. Resting spots available. Steps are required for accessing the bathroom. Held in Morrisville.

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Photo: Thea Alvin



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OLLI at UVM, one of 125 OLLIs at colleges and universities nationwide, is a cooperative learning community supported by the contributions and participation of our members.

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Campus OLLI Member Benefits include:

- Access to a wide array of OLLI courses, events, and programs
- Access to **FREE Special Interest Groups (SIGs*)**
 - **Banned Book Club SIG** (online, see inside left panel)
 - **Essential Poetry SIG** (online, see inside center)
 - **How Art Happens SIG** (online, see inside center)
 - More to come! We are just getting started!
- Rewarding volunteer opportunities
- Access to OLLI's monthly community e-newsletter
- Access to discounted tickets to UVM Lane Series performing arts events
- Priority registration for all OLLI educational travel opportunities
- Access to UVM Library Benefits**

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