

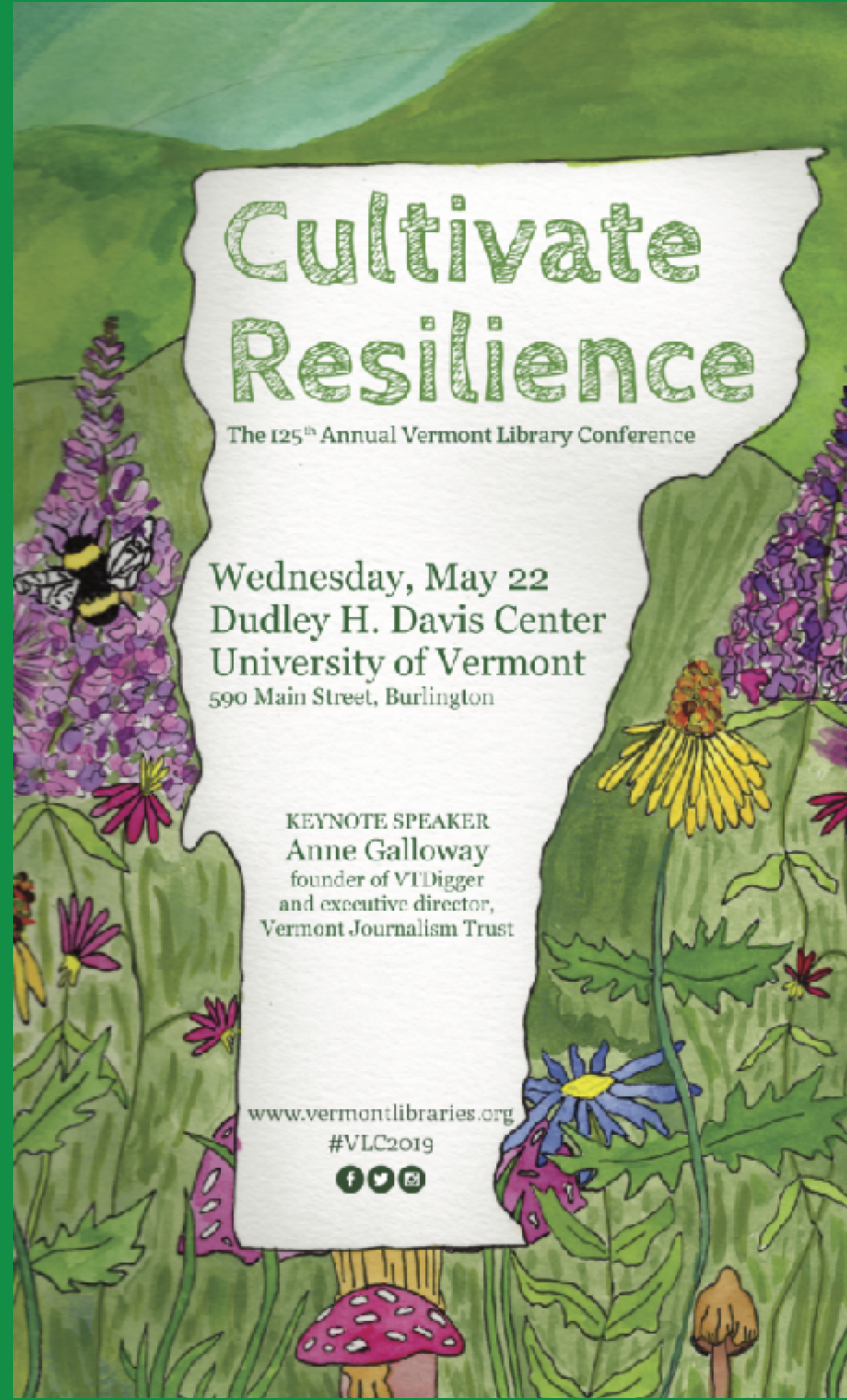
CULTIVATE RESILIENCE

Vermont Library Conference
Burlington, Vermont

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May 2019



Hip-hop concert
with Rebel Diaz
after hours at the
**Brooks Memorial
Library** in
Brattleboro



VTLib

hits

100,000

Clover

ILLs!

**CONGRATULATIONS
VERMONT
LIBRARIES!**

THE NEW INTERLIBRARY LOAN
SYSTEM (CLOVER) LAUNCHED ON
AUGUST 1, 2017.

THIS WEEK MARKED THE

100,000th

INTERLIBRARY LOAN REQUEST
SENT THROUGH CLOVER.

The Bixby
(Vergennes)
partnered with a
local animal shelter
to offer a Cat Café in
the library!



From January - April, **Fairfax Community Library** held monthly Cabin Fever Cafe programs! Nicole Vance organized the series!



Kites Go Up

The kites go up,
the kites go down,
In and around,
all over the town.

The children run
and jump and play,
Because they love
a windy day.

Jumping Rope

跳绳

tiào shéng

绳子抡的团团转

shéng zi lun de tuán tuán zhuàn
The jump rope turns round and round.

妹妹进来跳跳看

mèi mei jìn lái tiào tiào kàn
Little sister, please come and try
jumping in

一二三四五六七

yī èr sān sì wǔ liù qī
One two three four five six seven

跳得过的尽你玩

tiào de guò de jìn nǐ wán
Play as long as you can jump



一二三四五六七

yī èr sān sì wǔ liù qī
One two three four five six seven

跳不过的就要换

tiào bú guò de jiù yào huàn
If you can't, then wait your turn.



Do you know ...

Kites were invented in

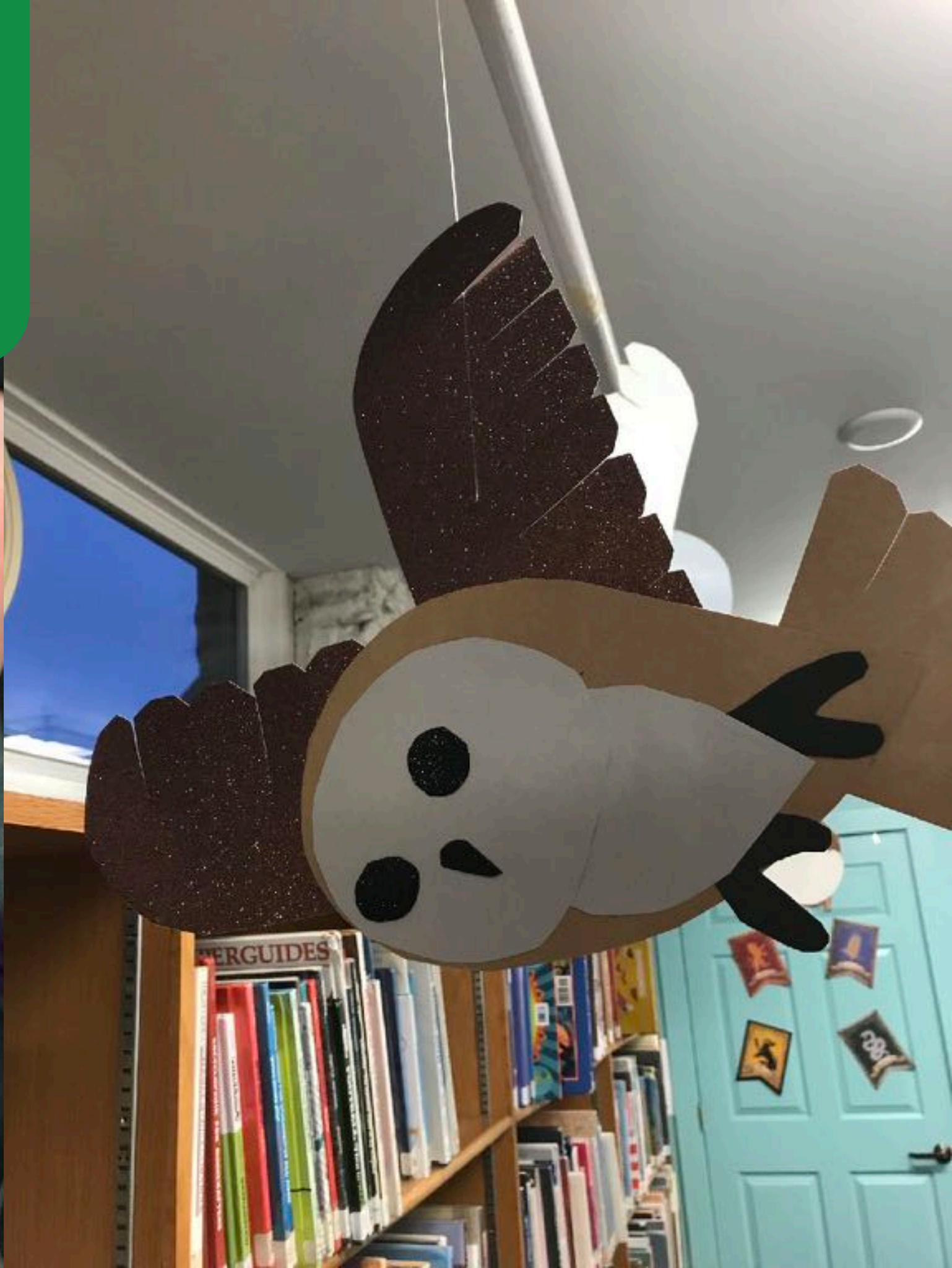


Cobleigh
Public Library
(Lyndonville)
purchased
their first
Chinese
books!

VLA's VT Trustee
of the Year: David
Martin from
**Cobleigh Public
Library**



Harry Potter Day at
Kimball Library
(Randolph)



Kimball Public Library Presents

HARRY POTTER DAY

Thursday May 2nd
4-7pm

Look-alike Contest

(Cast a vote! Winners announced at 6:30)

Wand Making

Photo Booth

Scavenger Hunt

Cupcake Decorating

Quidditch

Crafts

All Ages! Costumes Encouraged!

67 North Main Street, Randolph, VT



Fletcher Free Library (Burlington) hosted Grow with Google workshops.



Noon Year's Eve at **Fletcher Free Library**





Groundbreaking
ceremony for the
renovation and
addition to the
**Royalton Memorial
Library**

Eight **Kellogg-Hubbard Library** (Montpelier) staff participated in the Corporate Cup 5k race.





Renovated
Children's
Room at
**Springfield
Town Library**
with mobile
furniture

Collecting stories from our
past at **Springfield Town
Library** (Helen Lowenthal)



New Family Room, private
space for families, Skype,
interviews



**Carpenter-
Carse Library**
(Hinesburg)
kicked off their
new *Take a Bike*
program

A CELEBRATION ON TWO WHEELS!

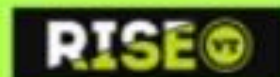
CARPENTER-CARSE LIBRARY

JOIN US AS WE KICK
OFF OUR *TAKE A BIKE*
PROGRAM!

MAY 11, 2019/
10AM-1PM

- FREE BIKE REPAIRS
- BIKE RODEO FOR KIDS
- HELMET FITTING
- SAFETY TIPS
- BLOCK-PRINTING STATION
- SNACKS
- COFFEE

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Orwell Free Library made renovations for more flexibility to deal with the crowds at programs and events and to make it more inviting. Before:





*Orwell Free
Library Renovation*
After

NorthEastern Baptist College (Bennington) renovated their MARBLE room, creating a 'time-travel' experience of doing research in a library room in the VT of 1914





"Nearly everything in it is a genuine antique predating World War I... the books themselves date from 1745 to 1914."

Pettee Memorial Library

(Wilmington)
hosted a comics
drawing class
geared towards
kids grades 4-6



The **Dorothy Alling Memorial Library's** (Williston) annual Volunteer Appreciation Breakfast



Every year DAML staff dress on theme for Halloween.



Instructor Linda Brady and two yoga students at **Morristown Centennial Library's** weekly Gentle Yoga class





Morristown Centennial Library's Friends and members made 100+ valentines for local seniors.

Over 70 people attended DQSH at **Warren Public Library** -
Nikki & Emoji's largest crowd outside of Chittenden County!



21 entries for the **Warren Public Library's** peeps diorama contest.





Moretown Memorial Library
collaborated with Eddie Merma from the
Sculpture School to create furniture and
toys for their Read & Play program

South Burlington Public Library's Bookmobile





Wheeler House Children's Gardens for **South Burlington Public Library's** Garden Storytime



South Burlington's brand new Seed Library



KITCHEN

STONE/OVEN

FRIDGE

TABLE+CHAIRS

MICROWAVE

POTS+PANS + DISHES + SILVERWARE

CUPBOARDS

SINK

ESPRESSO MACHINE

COFFEE MAKER

TOILETS 4

TOILETS 4

SINKS

WASTE BASKETS

CHANGING TABLES 2

PAPER DISPENSER—AIR DRYER

TP HOLDER

MIRRORS

SOAP DISPENSERS

HOOKS

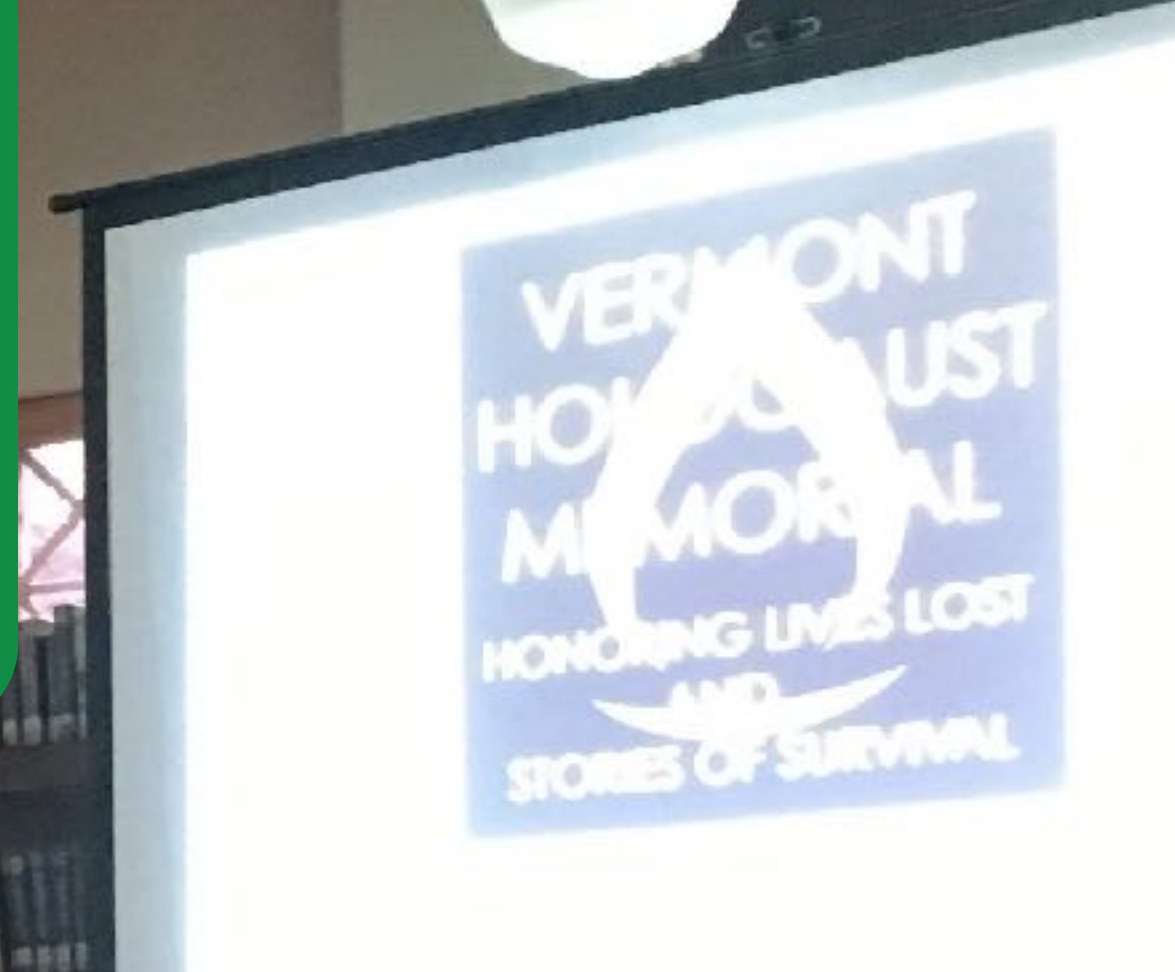
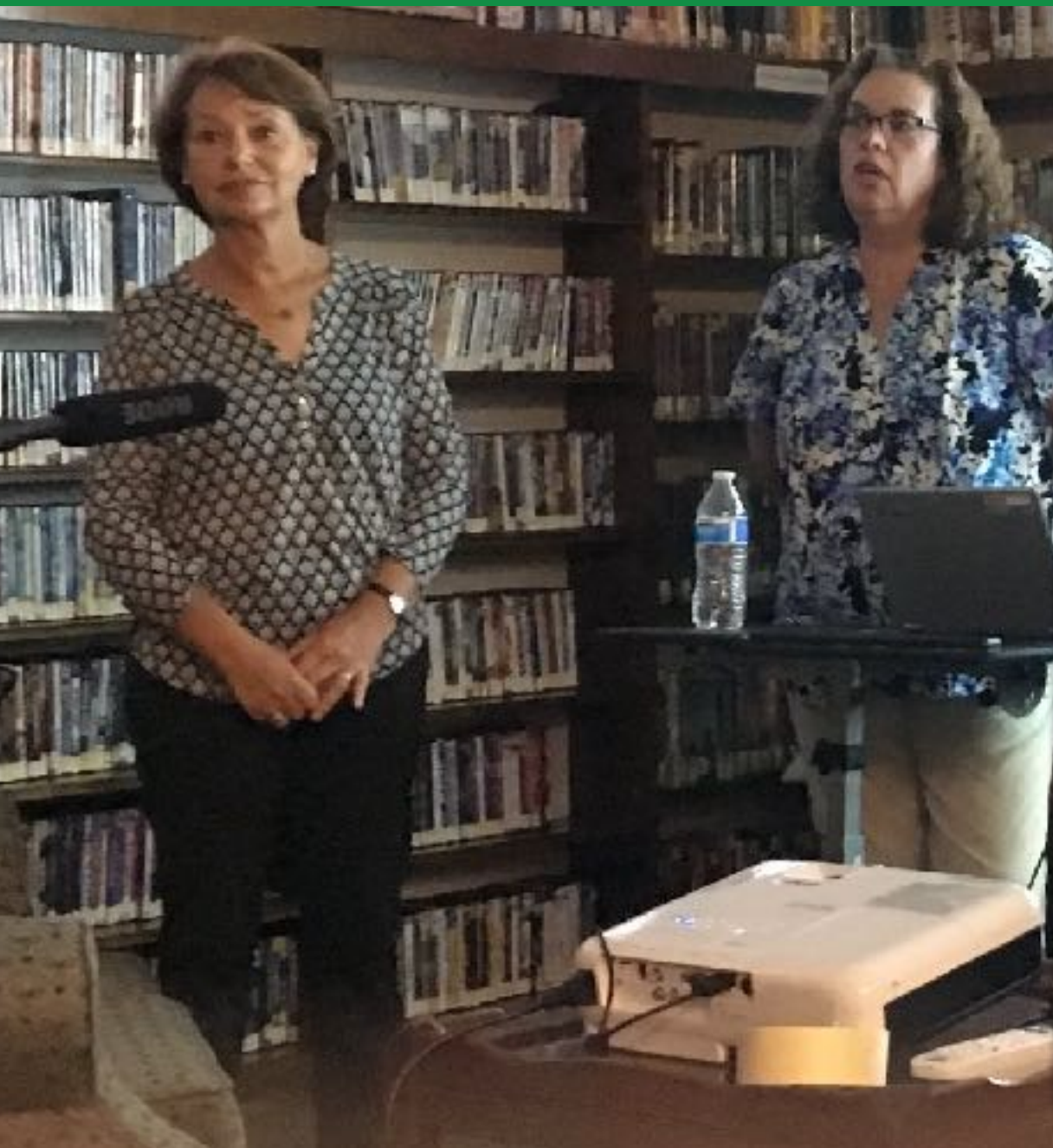
**Jeudevine
Library**

(Hardwick)
plans their
addition

Ukrainian egg decorating workshop for kids at the **Jeudevine Library**



VT Holocaust Memorial founders presented at the **Lanpher Memorial Library** (Hyde Park) & invited community members to decorate paper leaves

A photograph of a poster for "The Leaf Project" by the Vermont Holocaust Memorial. The poster features a large, stylized leaf graphic on the right side. The text on the poster includes the organization's name, a quote, the project title, and a description of the project's goal to collect 1.5 million leaves.

VERMONT HOLOCAUST MEMORIAL
HONORING LIVES LOST & STORIES OF SURVIVAL
...and you shall tell your children.

The Leaf Project

It is a call to action to learn lessons drawn from the Holocaust: prejudice, discrimination and stereotyping. By collecting a leaf at a time, this Project enables us to inspire tolerance and diversity, courage and heroism through interactive learning. The goal is to collect 1.5 million leaves, *one for each child who perished in the Holocaust*. In this way, we connect to history and honor lives lost.

The Vermont Holocaust Memorial will collect, count, mount, and eventually display,

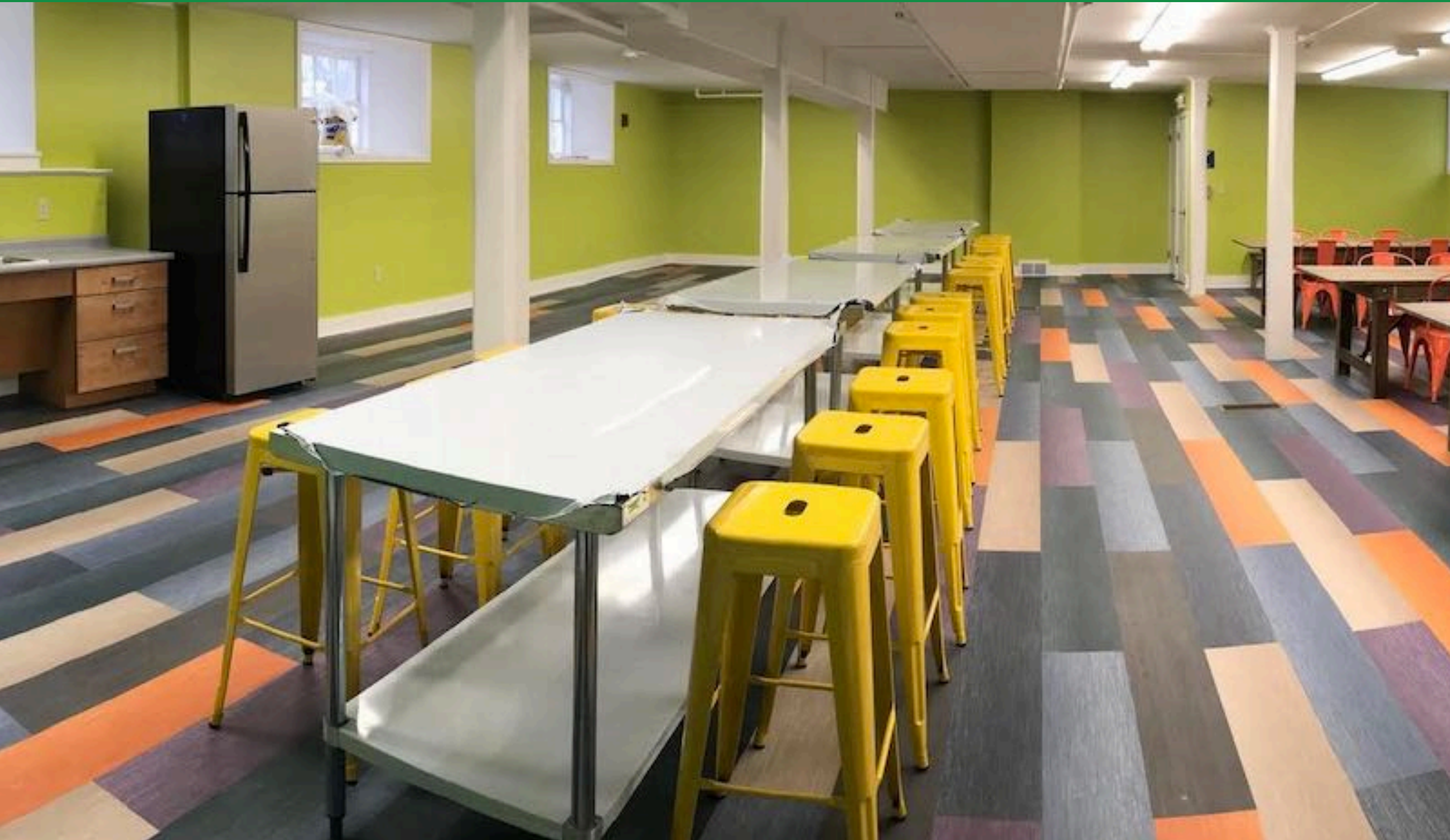
Hate has
no home
here



Stone Soup at **Lanpher Memorial Library**. Community vegetables + former chef + volunteers = three delicious soups for all to share



Burnham Memorial Library (Colchester) renovated the lower level of the town's meeting house



Alburgh, Grand Isle, North Hero, and South Hero libraries hosted a job fair and made the paper!

Grand Isle Libraries Team Up to Aid Employers and Job Seekers in the Islands

GRAND ISLE -- In an effort to help Islanders find good-paying and meaningful employment, the 2nd Annual Grand Isle Libraries Job Fair was held at the Grand Isle School on Saturday.

Organized by the directors of the Alburgh, Grand Isle, North Hero and South Hero libraries, the event hosted 16 local businesses, non-profit groups from across Grand Isle and Chittenden Counties.



The key theme of the day was to help residents find work which didn't require commuting outside of the Islands.

"We saw a clear need from businesses to find local employment, along with job-seekers to stay in the islands," said the director of the North Hero Library. She noted the distinct lack of public job fairs within the islands, stating that most of the Grand Isle County residents' best job fair was located in St. Albans, which was not convenient for most Islanders," she said.

The general attitude for employers was positive about the ability to reach out to the islands. Desiree Maltais, who represented a local business and Restaurant saying that she had several summer positions as possible." Numerous other representatives from the Lake Champlain Islands: the p

North Hero Library's
May the Fourth display

**IT'S
DANGEROUS
TO READ
SOLO**



**TAKE A
WOOKIEE
WITH YOU**

FREE DOOKMARK!

MAY THE 4TH BE WITH YOU



BECAUSE TOMORROW IS
REVENGE OF THE 5TH





New underbin
storage and a note
for every book read
in the Summer
Reading Program
at **Georgia Public
Library**



Visits from both baby goats and lambs during Storytime at **Georgia Public Library**



Saint Albans Museum Director/Librarian Alex Lehning does a "history detective" activity as part of their Lake Lessons" STEAM/cultural heritage workshop.



Library travelers from **Craftsbury Public Library** raised several thousand dollars for the library by participating in a library-sponsored tour of Ireland.



Outgoing VLA President
Cindy Weber!



Union
Bank



New bins for fun
toys and puzzles
in the Youth area
at **Waterbury
Public Library**

Waterbury Public Library telescope
that patrons can
check out thanks to
the VT Astronomical
Society's Library
Telescope program



Compact shelving installed in the basement of the Vermont History Center, shared by **VTLib** and the Vermont Historical Society's **Leahy Library**



Vermont History Center's OPAC. New last summer.



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Stowe Free Library

recovers from
flooding





Stowe Free Library re-opened this month!



Passport to
Vermont Libraries
back for 2019.
A collaboration
between **VLA** and
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