

Vermont's Northeast Kingdom

ANNUAL FALL FOLIAGE FESTIVAL

SEPT. 26 – OCT. 3, 2026



SATURDAY, SEPT. 26

CABOT

Start your NEK Fall Foliage exploration in Cabot. Register at the Cabot Historical Society between 10 a.m.-Noon to learn about the day's events which include self-guided tours, trail hikes, open houses at area businesses and the Cabot Cheese and Culture Festival. The Festival begins at Noon on the Town Common and features tastings, education and celebration with Vermont cheesemakers, producers of cultured and fermented foods, food trucks, and brewers. Top off the day, with the annual turkey dinner -with all the trimmings - at the Cabot Church from 5-6:30 p.m. take-out only, with outdoor dining on the Town Common. Learn about all the day's events at www.CabotVermont.org

SUNDAY, SEPT. 27

MARSHFIELD

Marshfield Harvest Festival 11 am to 3 pm Free Family Friendly Activities: cider pressing, face painting, arts and crafts, field games, petting zoo, 4H demonstrations, chicken races, music and the VT Steam & Gas Engine Association exhibit. For sale: book sale, bake sale, horse and wagon rides, craft sale, flea market and food vendors. At the Old Schoolhouse Common, 122 School St. Marshfield, VT 05658 For info: jaquithpubliclibrary@gmail.com or 802-426-3581. Check our website for the bands who will be playing and other updates.

www.jaquithpubliclibrary.org.

MONDAY, SEPT. 28

WALDEN

Come to the Walden Church in Noyesville Village at 9 am to register for the day. Enjoy exhibits at the church from 9 am-1 pm. Luncheon is offered during self-led *Open Visits* from Noon to 2:30 pm. Visit Walden residents who make a living or supplement their incomes by working or crafting in their homes, fields & studios as well as scenery viewing opportunities marked with bright orange OPEN VISIT signs. Family-style Barbecued Beef Supper starts at 5:30 pm. Take-out available. Info: Judy Clifford, 802-563-2777 evenings, message 802-793-5011, www.waldenvt.org for detailed information.

THURSDAY, OCT. 1

PEACHAM

Celebrate with Peacham, starting with breakfast at the Peacham Café! Stroll up Church Street and visit the Blacksmith Shop, Historical House, Corner Cemetery, War Memorial, Snow Roller Museum, and an iconic view of Peacham Village. Enjoy lunch at Peacham Elementary School or Peacham Café. Shop locally at Peacham Corner Guild and Fall Foliage Market, browse the library book sale, explore Peacham Observatory, and visit historic East Peacham Schoolhouse. Take a guided hike to Peacham Bog, tour the historic Meetinghouse, enjoy a concert with Dana Robinson, and savor a Vermont Maple Glazed Ham Supper. End your day with a movie, *Spitfire Grill*. For cost and time details: <https://peachamvt.org/peacham-fall-foliage-day/> or contact Melissa Hough, 802-592-3195 mdhough@gmail.com

FRIDAY, OCT. 2

BARNET

Welcome to Barnet! We have several places for you to visit this year. Historic Ben's Mill at 2236 West Barnet Road will be open for tours (as they prepare for Saturday's annual Rubber Ducky Race Fundraiser; a quilt show at the Meeting House at 100 Church Street in Barnet Village, the European Coffee Hour at 279 West Barnet Road (the Church in West Barnet), and more. Please check "BarnetVT.org" for more information.

SATURDAY, OCT. 3

GROTON

Enjoy a full day of family fun! Start with the Lumberjack Breakfast (7:00-9:30am), explore library activities (9:30am-1:00pm), tour the Peter Paul House (10:00am-2:00pm), enter the Great Pumpkin Weigh-In (10:30am-1:30pm), enjoy lunch at the First Baptist Church, and don't miss the Downtown Parade at 1:30 PM. End the day with the Groton Community Club's World Famous Chicken Pie Supper with seatings at 4:30, 5:30, and 6:30 PM (take-out available). Advance tickets are required. Visit www.grotoncommunityclub.com for tickets and additional event information.

FOR TRAVEL & LODGING INFORMATION, contact www.nekchamber.com, nekinfo@nekchamber.com, 800-639-6379.

This calendar can be found on the nekchamber.com site.

-In memory of Betty Hatch, our longtime Fall Foliage Festival Chairman-