



October 2011

WELCOME to the Comfort Inn & Suites at Maplewood's monthly newsletter!

Central Vermont offers some of the best cultural experiences and October is a very busy month in the area. If there is anything you specifically want to encounter while staying with us – all you have to do is ask! Our front desk staff is well versed on what is available in the Central Vermont area.

"Your Morning Breakfast." We have added hot eggs, bacon or sausage, two flavors of waffles and a greater fruit selection. We are very excited for the changes and hope to provide you with the ultimate breakfast experience!

We offer extended parking for evening meetings in our **Meeting Place** room that is set up to accommodate your business or personal conference needs. Information can be found on our website and on Facebook!

Are you a Friend yet? Go to "**Comfort Inn & Suites at Maplewood**" and hit the "Like" button. Watch for daily updates in regards to local events and hotel packages!

LOCAL HAPPENINGS:

Open Studio Weekend

October 1st & 2nd around the State of Vermont



Cabot Apple Pie Festival

October 15th 9 am – 3 pm



Harlem Gospel Choir at the

**Barre Opera House
Saturday, October 15th**

Paula Poundstone

**Barre Opera House
Friday, October 28th**

ABOUT US

We are ideally located close to Interstate 89 and within minutes of Vermont's beautiful Capital City of Montpelier.

We are also located close to:

- VAST trail – on premises
- Berlin Mall – ½ mile
- Knapp Airport – 2 miles
- Vermont State House – 3 miles
- Lost Nation Theater - 3 miles
- New England Culinary Institute – 3 miles
- Hubbard Park & Tower– 3 miles
- USS Montpelier Museum – 3 miles
- Vermont Historical Society – 3 miles
- Fresh Tracks Farm – 3 miles
- The Vermont Mountaineers – 4 miles
- Morse Farm and Sugar House – 5 miles
- Hope Cemetery – 5 miles
- Vermont Granite Museum – 5 miles
- Bragg Farm – 5 miles
- Barre Opera House – 5 miles
- Historic Covered Bridges – 5 miles
- Thunder Road Speedway – 6 miles
- Rock of Ages – 7 miles
- Millstone Trails Association – 8 miles
- East Barre Antique Mall – 8 miles
- Norwich University & Military Museum – 15 miles
- Ben & Jerry's Ice Cream Factory – 15 miles
- Cabot Creamery Annex – 16 miles
- Cold Hollow Cider Mill – 17 miles
- Little River State Park – 19 miles
- Cabot Creamery Tours – 22 miles
- Floating Bridge – 22 miles
- Bolton Ski Resort - 25 miles
- Mad River Ski Area – 25 miles
- Stowe Ski Resort – 31 miles
- Fairbanks Museum & Planetarium – 38 miles

Burlington is 45 minutes away. Spend a day exploring Echo Lake Aquarium & Science Center, relaxing aboard the Spirit of Ethan Allen cruising Lake Champlain or taking a tour of the famous Shelburne Farms. All are a short drive from Comfort Inn & Suites at Maplewood and offer a day to remember.

Central Vermont comes alive year round with its variety of seasonal traditions. *Fall* brings a Vermont tradition of gathering at chicken pie suppers, baking apple pies and wood cutting to prepare for the months ahead. Hiking and biking are both great ways to get out and explore the beauty and wonder of Central Vermont. Ask your Front Desk clerk about some “off the beaten path” places to go explore!

The Comfort Inn & Suites at Maplewood hotel's full-service amenities include these **free** items:

- “Your Morning Breakfast” with Eggs, Bacon or Sausage, Waffles & Vt. Maple Syrup
- Weekday newspaper
- Business center
- In-room safe
- Fitness center
- Wired & wireless internet
- Bottled water and k-cups in your rooms

Business travelers will appreciate access to our business center, offering free calls anywhere in the United States and Canada. We offer competitive corporate business rates and conference rooms that can accommodate events and business functions.

All guest rooms are spacious and offer high speed internet access, refrigerators, microwaves, Keurig coffee makers, irons, ironing boards and hair dryers. Our eighteen suites offer separate sitting areas with sleeper sofas, providing greater space for families needs.

Maplewood Convenience Store & Deli

Located on premises is **Maplewood Convenience Store and Deli**. It's the perfect break between the Upper Valley and Burlington and offers 24 hour a day gas and diesel as well as several varieties of snacks and beverages.

We offer a great selection of Vermont products such as: locally made Maple Syrup, Vermont sweatshirts, stuffed animals, Fresh Tracks Wine, local micro-brew beers and Green Mountain Coffee Roasters coffee.

Our deli is Chef run with a creative staff who uses only the freshest ingredients! Our menu includes breakfast sandwiches, fresh locally made bagels, as well as daily soup and Panini specials. Full menu can be found on the Comfort Inn & Suites website at www.comfortinnmontpelier.com or at Maplewood Convenience Store & Deli on Facebook. You can call (or fax) your order in ahead of time at 262-6118.



HOW ABOUT A MEMORABLE WINE TASTING EXPERIENCE?

We have teamed up with **Fresh Tracks Farm** right here in Berlin! Ask us about tour times or check-out their website at:

<http://www.freshtracksfarm.com/>

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BY CHOICE HOTELS

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