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

Central Vermont offers some of the best cultural experiences. 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.

Every room now has 32" flat screen televisions and Hi-Def channels.

Want to stay on top of the news, weather and sports in the morning? Relax during **"Your Morning Breakfast."** Watch our four televisions while enjoying hot eggs, bacon or sausage, two flavors of waffles and a great fruit selection.

We have a new, comfortable Meeting Space which will easily accommodate small groups of 10 or less. Please call Sue or Sam for more information.

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:

Barre Opera House

A Country Christmas with Keeghan Nolan

Saturday, December 3rd

8 pm

Vermont Philharmonic Orchestra -

Handel's Messiah

Sunday, December 4th

3:30 pm

Vermont Symphony Orchestra-

Holiday Pops

Friday, December 9th

7:30 pm

Touch of Vermont Holiday Gift Market

Montpelier City Hall

Saturday, December 10th

9 am – 4 pm

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
- Berlin Pond – 2 miles
- 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. *Winter* brings a Vermont tradition of cross country skiing, snow shoeing and of course sitting by the fire with a hot cup of cocoa and some great friends! 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 32" flat screen Hi-Def televisions, high speed internet, 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.



**We have teamed up with the Barre Town
Thunder Chickens and are
selling TMA's for the
VAST trail again this year!**

**Park your trailer in our expanded parking lot
and ride all day!**

***Ask about special stay and ride
packages!***





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