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A QUARTERLY NEWSLETTER FROM WAITSFIELD AND CHAMPLAIN VALLEY TELECOM



## Happy New Year from Waitfields and Champlain Valley Telecom

All of us at Waitfields and Champlain Valley Telecom wish you and your family a Happy New Year. It's been our privilege to provide your communication services and we look forward to serving you in 2015. Happy New Year from our family to yours!

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**Office Closures:**  
 Thursday, Jan. 1 – New Year's Day  
 Monday, Jan. 19 – Martin Luther King, Jr. Day  
 Monday, Feb. 15 – Presidents' Day



## Speed Up With High-Speed Internet

Is it time for a speed upgrade? If you're waiting for what seems like forever to download a movie or are dealing with the annoyance of video buffering, it's time to speed things up. High-speed Internet plans by Waitfields and Champlain Valley Telecom are fast enough to keep up with even the busiest of households with multiple users and multiple devices.

For added convenience and protection, these plans automatically include virus scanning and blocking. What's more, our local technicians and local customer service representatives will promptly handle any Internet issues that arise. With rates so affordable, now's the time to act fast and speed up! Call 496-3391 for details.



### Choose the high-speed Internet plan with the speeds to meet your household's needs:

<b>6 Mbps Download / 1 Mbps Upload Plan*</b>	<b>20 Mbps Download / 1 Mbps Upload Plan*</b>	<b>50 Mbps Download / 1 Mbps Upload Plan*</b>
\$42.95/month	\$49.95/month	\$59.95/month

Speeds up to 100 Mbps are available in many locations!

## Annual Giving Tree Helps Hundreds of Children

Each year, Waitfields and Champlain Valley Telecom spreads holiday cheer across our service area through our Annual Giving Tree. Tammy Field, Administrative Supervisor, single-handedly coordinates this program. Tammy works directly with schools and organizations to fulfill the wishes and needs of 400-500 children each holiday season. Gifts are donated by employees, customers, and our company's Contribution Committee.

We thank Tammy and everyone who participated!



## Customer Spotlights



### Parkside Kitchen – Richmond

From the people who brought you The Kitchen Table Bistro comes Parkside Kitchen. Parkside Kitchen is an eatery where you'll enjoy food made with local ingredients when possible, in a hearty, healthy, casual, and comfortable way. Enjoy Richmond, enjoy the park, enjoy the community, and enjoy Parkside Kitchen. Parkside Kitchen is open Monday–Thursday 7:00 a.m.–8:00 p.m., Friday 7:00 a.m.–9:00 p.m., Saturday 8:30 a.m.–9:00 p.m. and Sunday 8:30 a.m.–8:00 p.m. The restaurant is located next to the Richmond Volunteers Green (39 Esplanade). Reach them at 434-8777 or visit them on the web at [www.parksidekitchenvt.com](http://www.parksidekitchenvt.com).



### Historic Waitsfield Village – Waitsfield

Welcome to Historic Waitsfield Village! A mellow, rustic enclave of galleries, restaurants, chic boutiques, local artists, artisan food, a funky museum, and the oldest covered bridge in Vermont. Add to that big-time local charm, a river that runs up, and cool locals, and you get a vibrant, scenic village center. The village of Waitsfield was established early in the 19th century as the commercial center for the rural farming communities of the Mad River Valley. The nucleus of this small village is the intersection of Route 100 and Bridge Street. Visit [www.HistoricWaitsfieldVillage.com](http://www.HistoricWaitsfieldVillage.com) for a complete listing of businesses and calendar of events. There is always something exciting happening in the Village!



*Our Community Cares Camp (Richmond)*



*Special Olympics*



*Bristol Playground Build*



*Audubon Nature Center (Huntington)*



*Vermont Foodbank  
Pick For Your Neighbor Program*

## WCVT Lends a Local Hand

Giving back to the communities we serve has always been an important part of who we are at Waitsfield and Champlain Valley Telecom. As we welcome in 2015, we'd like to share some pictures of our community service involvement from last year. We feel strongly that community involvement is not just a nice thing to do; it's the right thing to do.

Waitsfield and Champlain Valley Telecom actively supports community organizations and events because our customers are also our friends and neighbors. We also provide each employee 16 hours of community service time yearly to be used on local projects. We want to do our part to enhance the quality of life for area residents today as well as foster continued growth in the year ahead. Whether it's helping to feed families or advancing the education of our youth, so much can be achieved if we all lend a hand and work together.

### Welcome New Businesses

It's now more important than ever to support our local businesses. When you buy local, everyone benefits. Please support the community by doing business with these new neighbors.

Element Nail Salon – Hinesburg	482-7334	Studley Printing & Publishing – Waitsfield	496-7290
Nostalgia – Waitsfield	583-3181	Victality Therapeutic Massage – Hinesburg	482-5226
Parkside Kitchen – Richmond	434-8777	Whippletree Designs – Waitsfield	496-9694
Phantom Restaurant – Waitsfield	496-6068	2 Percent – Waitsfield	496-7744
Pleasant Hills Apartments – Bristol	453-6877		
Rise 'N Shine Milkman – Charlotte	425-6842		