

The mission of the CCI is to support projects and programs that help maintain and enhance the quality of life in Cornish, NH.

Interested in being involved with the Cornish Community Initiative?

Would you consider teaching a class or creating a program for the community? If so, please reach out to any board member or send an email to info@Cornishci.org. We look forward to hearing from you!

Cornish Community Initiative

Newsletter - April 2024

Community Events (follow Cornish Connect for details)

Tues. March 26, 6:30 PM, Adult Craft Night Sat. March 30, 10:30 AM, Crafts with Ilsa Sat. March 30, 7:00 PM, Cabin Fever Coffee House Josh Hall Tues. April 2, 10:00 AM, Coffee Hour for Seniors Fri. April 5, 5:00 PM, Barn Dance Tues. April 9, 7:00 PM, Friends of the Cornish Library Wed. April 10 1:30 PM, Cornish Quilters Meeting Fri. April 12, 10:00 AM, Zentangle with Betsy Sofish Sun. April 14, 2:00 PM, Zentangle with Betsy Sofish Tues. April 16,2:00 PM, Cornish Garden Club Program Sun. April 21, 10:00 AM, Earth Day Events Fri. April 26, 10:00 AM, Zentangle with Betsy Sofish Sun. April 30, 6:30 PM, Cornish Garden Club Program

Cornish Library & Community Center Updates

Building Committee Update

Working collaboratively with Banwell Architects and four subcommittees, the Building Committee has completed the design work for the library. We are now starting the threemonth construction documentation phase. The construction firm, Trumbull-Nelson, has estimated the renovation costs to be approximately \$2.6 million. After adding architecture service, construction management and furniture costs, the total cost for the new library will be approximately \$3 million. The bidding and construction phases will take 12 - 15 months combined, but our start date will depend on the timing of the fundraising activities.

Fundraising Committee Update

Our \$3M Capital Campaign has been established. We are in the quiet phase, reaching out to leadership donors. To date, \$800K has been received in donations and pledges. A Northern Borders Regional Commission Grant pre-application has been submitted. We will know in April if we are eligible to submit a formal application. Please stay tuned for monthly updates and visit our website at <u>https://cornishci.org</u> for more information.

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