The Colchester Winter Carnival Committee would like to express its sincere thanks to the businesses, organizations, and individuals that helped make this year’s event possible. Your continued support and generosity is greatly appreciated! We could not do it without you!

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Colchester Lions Club
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Many thanks to the 2020 Winter Carnival Committee for their ideas, enthusiasm, and time commitment in planning this year’s event. We are looking to add more members to our committee, so if you enjoyed this year’s event, please consider joining the committee! Call the Parks & Rec office to be added to the list!

Rene Barrett
Jenn Mansfield
Ronny Cummings
Brittany Gaydos
Mary Beth Mooney

Winter Carnival Schedule

Friday, January 31, 2020

Winter Carnival Information & Bracelet Booth               5:00 - 7:00 PM
Your Winter Carnival bracelet is your admission to every event unless otherwise noted. Buy one for $7.00 at the locations listed on the cover, or at the Carnival. Children ages 2 and under are free. Everyone who attends must purchase a bracelet regardless of their level of participation in Winter Carnival activities.

Saturday, February 1, 2020

10:00 AM - 3:00 PM Winter Carnival Information Booth
5:30 PM & 7:00 PM CHS Girls Basketball Games

Saturday, February 2, 2020

11:30 AM - 1:30 PM Skating at Airport Park w/ CPD Officers
37th Annual Colchester Winter Carnival Jan. 31, Feb. 1, & 2, 2020

Highlights

• Colchester’s Got Talent: ALL STARS!
• Face Painting
• Henna Tattoos
• Laser Tag
• Inflatable Obstacle Course
• Pony Rides
• Balloon Animals
• Big Blue Trunk
• Sensory Room
• Arts & Crafts Room

Location: Colchester High School

Winter Carnival Bracelets: $7.00 per bracelet
Children ages 2 & under FREE

Purchase Bracelets at:
• Biben’s ACE Hardware
• Burnham Memorial Library
• Colchester Parks & Recreation
• Dick Mazza’s General Store

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2020 Theme: “Through the Years…”

37th Annual Colchester Winter Carnival
**Saturday, February 1st**  
Inside at Colchester High School

Lion’s Club Pancake Breakfast  
8:30 - 11:00 AM  
The Colchester Lion’s Club will be hosting a Pancake Breakfast Saturday morning. What a way to get the day off to a great start! Breakfast is by donation. Location: Cafeteria.

Winter Carnival Information & Bracelet Booth  
9:30 AM - 3:15 PM  
Your Winter Carnival Bracelet is your admission to every event, unless noted. Cost is $7.00 per bracelet. Ages 2 and under FREE. Location: Lobby.

**PERFORMANCE: STUDIO 3 DANCE COMPANY**  
10:00 AM - 12:00 PM  
Studio 3 Dance is excited to perform their newest competition & select recreational dance pieces for all to enjoy! Dancers ages 5 and up will perform from a mix of genres including tap, jazz, lyrical, contemporary, hip hop, African and more to delight the entire audience! This wonderful show is the perfect way to start your day at the Carnival. Location: Performing Arts Center.

Marc Hughes Caricatures  
10:00 AM - 2:00 PM  
Marc Hughes is back this year for a day of caricatures. He will be here to draw a great caricature of you, your family, or your friends. If you do not want your caricature done, it’s still fun to watch! Location: Left hallway off lobby. Sponsored by Cummings Electric.

Inflatable Obstacle Course  
10:00 AM - 3:30 PM  
One of the Winter Carnival’s most popular activities is back and bigger than ever! Visit the gym for inflatable obstacle courses for kids of all ages. Location: Gym. Sponsored by Red Leaf Software, LLC and Malletts Bay Self Storage.

Playdough Extravaganza  
10:00 AM - 3:30 PM  
Parents with children ages birth to 5 years old will not want to miss the Playdough Extravaganza! Join us in discovering the many fun and creative things that can be done with homemade playdough. Location: Room 117/119 down left hallway from the gym.

Laser Tag with Colchester Paintball  
10:00 AM - 2:00 PM  
Join us in the gym for a game of laser tag provided by Colchester Paintball. Location: Main Gym. Sponsored by Coates Island Marina & Marina at Marble Island.

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Inside at Colchester High School

Stephen Gratto - Stilt Walker  
11:00 AM - 2:00 PM  
For over 30 years, Stephen has been performing his stilt walking and balloon artistry for delighted audiences at festivals, celebrations, corporate parties, educational institutions, and wherever quality family entertainment is appreciated.

Jolley & Joy the Wacky Balloon Twisters  
10:00 AM - 2:00 PM  
Balloon sculpting is a difficult art made magical by Jolley and Joy’s zany skills! Children of all ages will line up to receive one of their own creations.

Chair Massages with Robin's Nest  
10:00 AM - 2:00 PM  
Need a moment to yourself and time to relax after running around with the kids all day? Rebecca Robbins-Bushway of Robin’s Nest Massage will provide you with a relaxing moment before you move on to your next activity. Location: Back Cafeteria Hallway.

Sensory Room  
10:00 AM - 3:00 PM  
Explore the world around us through sight, sound and touch! This room is geared toward preschoolers ages birth to 4 and will feature interesting objects to touch, switch, click, and more. Location: Room 113/115 down left hallway from the gym. Sponsored by Bia Diagnostics.

Chili Contest  
10:30 AM  
Think you have the best chili in town? Well then, test your chili against your neighbor at this community contest! Entries support the Josh Pallotta Fund, Inc., a non-profit 501(c)3 organization dedicated to assisting Veterans and Service members struggling with Post Traumatic Stress and to one day end Veteran suicide. There is no entry fee for chili participants, but donations to the Josh Pallotta Fund will be accepted. Judging begins at 10:30 AM. The top three will win a gift certificate, trophy, and bragging rights! More details can be found at: [http://www.joshpallottafund.org](http://www.joshpallottafund.org). Remaining chili will be sold as concessions with proceeds benefiting the Josh Pallotta Fund. Registration Deadline 1/25. Location: Cafeteria.

Food Concessions (additional fee)  
11:00 AM - 2:00 PM  
When you get hungry, check out the reasonably-priced family fare served by local non-profit organizations. Location: Cafeteria.

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The Big Blue Trunk  
10:00 AM - 3:00 PM  
An energetic world of fun and imaginative play comes to life when the Big Blue Trunk comes out. The Big Blue Trunk is full of elaborate games and activities that the whole family will enjoy. One of the Winter Carnival’s favorite attractions! Location: Mini-Gym. Sponsored by Inspired Kitchen & Bath.

Hands-On Arts & Crafts  
10:00 AM - 3:00 PM  
Children of all ages can enjoy creating some fun Winter Carnival souvenirs for themselves. Be on the lookout for returning favorites from past years! Location: Room 101/103 down left hallway.

Face Painting  
10:00 AM - 3:00 PM  
HyperFocus Art is one of the most popular face painting specialists in the Burlington area. All face painting & tattoos are airbrushed and temporary. Location: Down the left hallway from the gym. Sponsored by Hazlett Corporation, Sleepydog Kennel, and Three Brothers Pizza and Grill.

Henna Tattoos  
10:00 AM - 3:00 PM  
They are natural, they are beautiful, and they are temporary! Henna tattoos can last for up to 10 days. Parental approval needed. Location: Left hallway off lobby. Sponsored by Colchester Contracting Services & Bevins Door.

LCATV Green Screen Room  
10:00 AM - 3:00 PM  
LCATV is a not-for-profit public, educational, and governmental access television facility that is committed to serving the needs of their member communities. Stop in and learn about green screen technology! Pretend to be a news anchor or see yourself in a new environment like underwater, at the beach, or near a campfire. Location: Room 105/107, left hallway off lobby.

Exit 16 DDT Driving Simulator  
10:00 AM - 3:00 PM  
Curious about the proposed Diverging Diamond Interchange (DDI) for the Exit 16/Rt. 287 area? Visit their booth to chat with reps from WSP - the team working on the plan - and try their driving simulator to see what the new interchange will look like from the road. Location: Left hallway off lobby.

**Saturday, February 2nd**  
Events Outside

Horse-Drawn Hay Rides  
10:00 AM - 2:00 PM  
Catch a hay ride on your way in or out of the High School. Location: outside main entrance. Sponsored by North Country Federal Credit Union.

Sugar On Snow & Maple Cotton Candy  
11:00 AM - 2:00 PM  
Mike & Ethan Guillemette have generously agreed to cook up some of this old-fashioned Vermont favorite. Stop by the main entrance of the High School and get a free sample with your Winter Carnival bracelet! Location: outside main entrance. ONE PERSON PER EACH.

Pony Rides  
10:00 AM - 3:00 PM  
It never is too cold to take a pony ride. Put on your cowboy hat and go for a ride that you will remember for quite some time. Location: outside main entrance.

Ice Golf Charity Scramble (additional fee)  
12:00 PM - 3:00 PM  
Two 9-hole golf courses will be assembled on the frozen surface of our beautiful Lake Champlain. Teams of four will play in a scramble-format starting at Bayside Beach. $240/team. All proceeds benefit Vermont’s Camp Ta-Kum-Ta. Graphite shafts not recommended due to theirbrittleness in cold weather. White golf balls are not allowed. One hockey stick per team. For details or to register a team, visit [https://www.facebook.com/VermontIceGolf/](https://www.facebook.com/VermontIceGolf/). Registration at 11:00am at The Pickled Perch, with shotgun start at 12:00pm.

**Sunday, February 2nd**  
At Bayside Waterfront

Skate with the Cops at Airport Park  
11:30 AM - 1:30 PM  
Join officers from the Colchester Police Department for skating on the outdoor rink at Airport Park! Bring your own skates. Weather dependent. Location: Airport Park Ice Rink (500 Colchester Point Road). Sponsored by The Colchester Police Department.