

The Vermont Legislature presents

FARMERS NIGHT

2019

FREE & OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

Wednesdays throughout the
2019 Legislative Session

7:30 pm in the House Chamber
Vermont State House



January 16th • 40th Army Band

Join our soldier musicians for a night of patriotic American tunes, as well as classical and contemporary music.

January 23rd • Vermont Symphony Orchestra

David M. Wilson Memorial Farmers' Night Concert / Filippo Ciabatti, conductor
This VSO chamber orchestra will feature the woodwinds in music by Vivaldi and Rossini, the strings with Tchaikovsky and Mozart, and young talent with a world premiere from high school senior Ethan Duncan.

January 30th • Upper Valley Community Band

Representing a broad swath of Vermont and New Hampshire communities, this band plays concerts, festivals, and parades throughout the region. In addition to traditional marches, patriotic songs, and popular tunes, they perform works by Gershwin, Copland, Leroy Anderson, and many others.

February 6th • An Evening with Langston Hughes

Presented by the Vermont Humanities Council with Kellogg Hubbard Library
With this dramatic rendition of Langston Hughes' poems and short stories, actor and writer David Mills celebrates the life of the renowned Harlem Renaissance writer.

February 13th • Vermont Youth Orchestra String Squad

Hear talented young musicians from throughout Vermont perform an eclectic chamber orchestra program featuring music from around the world.

February 20th • The Norwich Regimental Band

In celebration of its bicentennial year, Norwich University is proud to present its Regimental Band. Founded in 1820, it is the oldest collegiate band in the nation—performing in St. Patrick's Day parades in New York and Boston, as well as many presidential inaugural parades from Kennedy through Trump.

February 27th • Spit'n Lyon: An Unsung Soldier's Song

Actor/playwright John Daly's musical illuminates the true story of early Vermont Congressman Matthew Lyon—one of the first to test our First Amendment rights, and forgotten founding father. This could be Vermont's "Hamilton!"

March 6th • No Farmer's Night – Town Meeting

March 13th • US Air Force Heritage Wind Quintet

An ensemble from the US Air Force Heritage of America Band, this quintet leads us through popular as well as classical and contemporary music with their famous gusto and flair!

March 20th • Wrensong

These accomplished singers from the Upper Valley are devoted to presenting the best in small group choral music, with particular focus on the vocal treasures of the Renaissance.

March 27th • Madeleine Kunin and Patti Casey

Presented by Friends of the Vermont State House
Vermont's first woman governor reads the poignant and honest poetry and prose from her latest book—resonating with the songs of Vermont's popular singer/songwriter Patti Casey.

April 3rd • Voices for All Seasons

This popular Morrisville-based community choir brings moments of beauty and fun to all who hear them. They sing an eclectic mix of classical, standards, Broadway, folk, and contemporary works.

April 10th • Jenni Johnson & the Junketeers

For our finale, join us on a musical journey with a mixture of tunes from jazz to r&b that will set your toes a-tapping and your soul a-soaring!

