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#### 1.01 Winter Solstice Celebration - Dec 21 2018

**Barnaby Feder** 

Join Michele Lowy and Barnaby Feder at their home for a Scandinavia-inspired breakfast and to watch the shortest day of the year begin with the sun rising over Moosalamoo Mountain (winners will be given more specific arrival time.) Winners will be welcome to come back for a simple dinner to be served after sunset. 15 winners.

#### 2 Pool Party at the Strum's

**Becky Strum** 

Family Friendly Pool Party at Becky Strums

#### 3 Cookie Making Party

**Lucy Goetz** 

Family Friendly - Have an event that your child needs to bring something for? Lucy will come to your home with all the supplies and help you and your child make fun cookies for a birthday party celebration, 100th day of school celebration, etc. Lucy can help your child and you do amazing things with holiday / event specific fun cookies/ cupcakes that will WOW the party. Tell her beforehand the event and she will design and come up with some great ideas for you and your kids to decide on.

#### 4 8 Week Anti-Racist/Feminist Yoga at Otter Creek

Joanna Colwell

1 winner will receive free admission to the 8 week Anti-Racist/Feminist yoga class at Otter Creek Yoga. Class meets Tuesdays 4-5:30pm. Join Joanna Colwell and others with a lens of addressing racism and sexism in our country and our lives, you'll look to yoga to confront, process and take action with these important and complicated issues.

#### 5 1 Massage Session - You Deserve It!

**Steve Fidler** 

A one-hour massage session to be provided by Steve Fidler

#### 6 4 Monthly Deliveries of Fresh Homemade Cookies

**Ginny Moser** 

Ginny Moser will deliver to one lucky winner a monthly cookie delivery to your door for 4 months.

#### 7 Family Movie Night at Fenn House

**Kas Singh** 

Everyone who enters wins! Family movie night for kids with popcorn provided. Bring your own sleeping bag! Coffee and conversation with parents in Fenn House or drop off kids and skedaddle. Will move to sanctuary if necessary.

#### 8 Dedicated Valentine's Poem for a Loved One

Caitlin Gildrien

Make Valentine's Day extra special this year with a personalized one-of-a-kind original poem from Caitlin.

#### 9.01 Group Mending Session

Elizabeth Cultrara

Join Elizabeth in mending socks, pants, sweaters, whatever is needed. Learn together as you go and get a closed shape. Nobody wants to mend on their own. We can get each other motivated. Participant numbers to be determined - this will be a group effort.

#### 10.01 Movie Night in Burlington

Ginny Ashenfelter & Martha Fulda

Martha and Ginny will pick you up and take you to Burlington. Viewing movies that can't be seen in the Middlebury area - the movie will be determined by the participants and their availability. Enjoy a fun car ride up getting to know each other, some candy eating, enjoyable and hopefully thoughtful viewing with friends. 4 participants to be selected.

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#### 11.01 Prime Parking Spot Across from the Church

Martha Soderberg

This is a hot ticket item. Park in a prime parking spot across from the church and never worry about bad weather and long walks again.

#### 12 Choose your own Homemade Sweater

Martha Soderberg

Join Martha for some company at her house as you choose your own homemade sweater from her knitting collection.

#### 13.01 An Afternoon at the Lake

Neil and Julie Chippendale

Join Julie and Neil for an afternoon at the lake (Schroon Lake, NY). Vermont isn't the only one with beautiful scenery and lakes in the summer. Most likely given in the warm months of July and August, Julie and Neil would love to host you and have fellowship and fun as you play and swim around the lake with this gorgeous scenery. (Up to 8 participants) - tell how many your ticket entry is for.

#### 14 Death by Chocolate - Tuesday, February 12th

Laurie Borden

Advanced Care Planning meets delectable chocolate devouring with Laurie Borden and Richard O'Donohue on Tuesday, February 12th from 4:00-5:30pm.

#### 15 "Nailed It" Themed Party

**Piper Harrell** 

Join Piper as she recreates one of her family's favorite shows: "Nailed It". Let's get our baked on. An amateur Baker with many Pinterest fails, Nailed IT is the perfect show to recreate for Piper and her friends. Join her with baking hilarity, lots of sweat, and crossed fingers that you too can Nail It. Judges to be determined. Lots of fun baking and fellowship to be sure. Families welcomed and kids encouraged to participate.

#### 16 Lake House Weekend

Abi and Bill Sessions

A weekend (2 or 3 day) at our lakeside house on Isle La Motte - before June 15 or after Labor Day. The house sleeps 8 adults and 4 children and includes kayaks and canoes.

#### 17 We Shall Overcome

**Rev Barnaby** 

Rev Barnaby will join you for a mutually agreed upon protest event and help you process the experience (what did you get out of it, what didn't work for you, what's next?) He'll be with you, if you agree, up to and including civil disobedience.

#### 18.01 Baseball Game with Doctor Baseball (4 people)

Karl Lindholm

Attend a Vermont Lake Monsters baseball game in Burlington with Karl Lindholm Ph.D (in Baseballology.) Includes tickets to the game (good seats too!), transportation to and from the game (right to the park, no school bus or walking), a seminar on minor league baseball and the Lake Monsters specifically, a Lake Monsters program and Yearbook, one round of refreshments (beer and hotdog - no beer for anyone under 12 no matter what your mother says), and congenial company (baseball talk!) at the game itself. Value: priceless.

#### 19 Voice on your Answering Machine

Francois Clemmons

Not just any voice, our very own Francois Clemmons will record your message in his unique voice on your Answering Machine

#### 20 Tour and Dress up in the Divas Own Closet

Francois Clemmons

Francois Clemmons will host the coveted guided tour of his closet of "divawear" including dress-up opportunities.

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# 21 Ride in Style - Complimentary 2 hours of Chauffeured Sedan Service

**Seth Gibson** 

Ride in Style with up to 2 hours of Chauffeured Sedan Service from Middlebury Transportation Group (retail value up to \$130). Reservations required 1 week in advance and must be used before 7/1/2019

# 22.01 Winter Solstice Parties - 2019 (Saturday, December 21st)

Michele Lowy & Barnaby Feder

The 3rd Annual Winter Solstice gathering with Rev. Barnaby and Michele. Come at dawn to watch the sun rise over Moosalamoo and enjoy a Scandinavian breakfast. Come back at sundown for the Scandinavian dinner. Up to 12 participants.

#### 23.01 Pre-Solstice Baking - Saturday, December 14 2019

**Michele Lowy** 

Pulla bread, Norwegian coffee cakes, Icelandic almond buns - how does Michele make all these treats for the winter solstice meals? Come Saturday, Dec 14 to join in the advance baking and learn how to bake these delicacies for yourselves. For 4 people, will run from noon until roughly 5pm

#### 24.01 Holy Guacamole!

Barnaby Feder & Michele Lowy

Saturday, March 9 - dinner inspired by our trip to Mexico City - for up to 8

#### 25 Chess Bonanza

Monty Montgomery

1 Winner will receive 2 chess sets (1 full size and 1 travel size) along with 2 separate 1 hour training sessions with Monty

#### 26 Picnic by Lake Champlain

Elizabeth Golden

A picnic by Lake Champlain - compliments of Elizabeth Golden. Park at her complex which is walking distance to the Lake and enjoy a picnic lunch she will provide for you to enjoy lakeside

#### 27 Afternoon on Lake Dunmore

Richard Hopkins & Gayle Muenchow

Very Family Friendly! On a date TBD, spend a day on Lake Dunmore. Includes use of 2 sit-on-top kyacks, 2 canoes, a little sailboat, plus swimming, jigsaw puzzles, beds for naps, nearby trails for a walk. Just spend the greater part of a day - and food is also provided! For a family of any size or up to 6 adults.

#### 28 Homemade Granola

**Brett Millier** 

Four winners will each receive 2 pounds of Brett Millier's Homemade Granola

#### 29 Medical Road Trip

**Marjorie Carsen** 

Marjorie will drive you (or ride with you) to that medical visit/ procedure/whatever, to keep you company, support your concerns, etc. And Lunch if that works for you. Twice for one person, or once for 2 people. I want to get to know you (better) so we'll both have another good friend afterwards.

#### 30.01 Board Game Night

Milo, Callie, and Poppy Rees

Board Game Night - Fenn House 7-9pm, in March? Snacks provided. Organized board games for older kids and adults (grade 5? And up) Indicate number of participants on your ticket.

#### 31.01 Granny Nanny

**Pat Schmitter** 

3 hours of Childcare - 2 lucky winners

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#### 32 Felting Workshop - Trivet Making

Sue Rasmussen

Join Sue as she provides yourself and 1 friend with lessons in making your own needle felted trivets

#### 33 Waffle Breakfast with Friends

Lise Anderson and Miles Peterle

Scrumptious and colorful waffle breakfast for up to 6 people at Cornwall Orchards B&B. Experience yeast-rasied waffles prepared in one (or two or three) of Miles' vintage waffle irons. Served with organic coffee, local bacon, our own applesauce dressed up with raspberry sauce, and all the trimmings. Choose a mutually convenent date and time in 2019. Relax, talk with friends, and let Lise Anderson and Miles Peterle take care of you.

#### 34.01 Bicycling Safety Outing

**Laura Asermily** 

Learn how to navigate rotaries, left turns and Main St. safely. Begins at Shafer's on College Rd, loops out to Porter, Hannafords through Buttolph to Shaws, past MNFC, Middlebury Inn, post office, and back to Shafers. Loaner bikes can be arranged. Unlimited participants. On a mutually agreeable date and time.

#### 35 Let's Take A Walk Together

**Anne Christie** 

Anne Christie will take 2 separate Middlebury Area walks with you at mutally agreeable dates and times.

#### 36 Knitting Lessons

**Carol Ferland** 

Learn how to knit from an experienced knitter, at her home in Middlebury. Carol will meet with you at a mutually agreeable date and time.

#### 37 Learn How to Make Tamales

Carol Harden and Alan Moore

Learn how to make authentic Mexican tamales with migrant works and enjoy the feast. Learn about migrant worker issues and justice activism. On a mutally agreeable date and time.

#### 38 Museum Trip

Allie Izzard

Take a tour of the Middlebury College Museum of Art, guided by an art student. Meet at the College. On a mutually agreeable date in September 2019 or thereafter

#### 39 Beautiful Custom Floral Arrangement

**Dinah Smith** 

A member of our floral committee will design and create a beautiful floral arrangement for you, materials included.

#### 40 Yard Work Proect

**CVUUS Board** 

A group of several members of the CVUUS Board will work together on your yard for three hours to weed, plant, and garden, on a mutually agreeable weekend day in May 2019.

#### 41 Practically Perfect Child Care

Priscilla Bremser

Priscilla will provide 3 hours of child-minding, at your home, on a mutually agreeable date. Not Mary Poppins, but I can play games, read stories, and discuss math homework.

#### 42.01 Friday Night Pizza Night

Priscilla Bremser & Steve Maier

On Friday, March 15th - starting at 6pm, up to 6 guests will join Priscilla and Steve at their home. They'll provide the (gluten inclusive) crust, sauce, and array of toppings; you help assemble. They'll also provide snacks, drinks, and dessert. Indicate number of seats on the ticket.

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#### 44.01 Learn To Knit Socks

Margy Levine Young

Learn how to knit two socks at the same time, toe up. Never worry that they won't match! Knitting needle and yarn provided, unless you'd like to choose your own. 2 winners will be chosen.

#### 45.01 Brazilian Dinner - Saturday, February 23rd

Margy & Jordan Young

Did you know that Jordan is half Brazilian? Come enjoy a Feijoada Completa, the national dish of Brazil, with rice, black beans, many kinds of meat, greens and oranges. Plus dessert and Brazilian cocktails. 8 winners (indicate number of seats requested on your ticket.)

#### 46 Member Prices at Cosco via a Truck (Suburban)

**David Durgin** 

David will drive you in his Suburban to Costco including access to Costco pricing with his membership and lots of room to bring your stuff home.

# 47.01 Jan 21, 2019 - Crepe Flambees Sauce Suzette with Sylviane

**Sylviane Acker** 

Fun, conversation, fine cheeses, good wine and other beverages at Sylviane's house. Finishing with a demonstration and serving of Crepes Flambees Sauce Suzette! (Fire extinguisher on hand) Coffee, tea, etc. - for 2 people

# 48.01 Jan 28, 2019 - Crepe Flambees Sauce Suzette with Sylviane

**Sylviane Acker** 

Fun, conversation, fine cheeses, good wine and other beverages at Sylviane's house. Finishing with a demonstration and serving of Crepes Flambees Sauce Suzette! (Fire extinguisher on hand) Coffee, tea, etc. - for 2 people

#### 49.01 Wildflower Hike - May 18, 1pm

Colleen Brown & Doug Richards

Doug and Colleen to lead a wildflower hike on May 18th for up to 10 people. Moderate difficulty, children and friendly dogs welcome. Guide and snacks included.

#### 50 6 Hours of Able Bodied Help - 8 hands

Tracey and Jay Harrington

The Harrington family is offering 8 hands of able bodied help for 6 hours of work in home or yard at a mutually agreeable date.

#### 51 Full Moon Snowshoe Trek in Ripton - Feb 19th

Tracey and Jay Harrington

Join the Harrington's for a full moon snowshoe trek in Ripton. Tuesday, February 19th @ Harrington's "on the Hill"

#### 52.01 Dominoes Party at Dorothy's

Dorothy Mammen

Dominoes party for up to 16 players on a Saturday or Sunday afternoon between Jan 19 and June 2 (date TBD by doodle poll) from 1-5pm at Dorothy's house. No experience needed. Winner gets bragging rights, worst score gets "most fun" designation. State how many players you will have on your ticket, up to four per ticket. Max 16 players. Snacks also provided.

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# 53.01 Come Make Valentine's Cards - Sunday, February 10th

**Ellen Flight** 

Join Ellen at her home on Sunday, February 10th from 2-4pm to make Valentine's Day Cards. Open to grades 5 through adults (kids come with parents). Ellen will supply all crafting materials and light snacks. 6 people total.

#### 54.01 Personalized Home Repair Consultation

**Scott Smith** 

2 Lucky Winners will receive personalized home repair consultation with Scott Smith

#### 55 Dog Walking - Doggie Playdate

**Chris Murphy** 

Join Chris Murphy at a mutually agreeable time for dog walking and a general doggie playdate. If you have a dog that would like this - great! If you don't then you can still spend time with Chris and her dog.

#### 56.01 Yummy Valentine's Cupcakes

Donna and Journey LaRose

Two winners will receive 4-6 cupcakes each for Valentine's Day - lovingly made by Journey and Donna LaRose

#### 57 Portrait Photo Session

Jason Duquette-Hoffman

Portrait Photo Session with Jason Duquette-Hoffman Amateur Hobbyist - For you, or as a Gift!

#### 58 A Giggle-ful Poetry Reading!

**Ted Scheu** 

Ted Scheu says, I'd love to present age-appropriate poems (my own) to any size group at any event. My verse is in a child's voice (mine) but touches all ages and experience. 30-45 minutes in length.

#### 59.01 MUUd Season Dominoes Game (Eastview Style)

Ann Ross & Ann Webster

Join residents of Eastview for an afternoon of (Public Train) Dominoes on Saturday, March 23rd 1pm-4pm No experience necessary. Learn the game as we go along or help others to learn the game. Make new acquaintances, laugh and make merry while beating the mud season doldrums. We will supply the dominoes, game instructions, and light snacks. 4 winners.

#### 60.01 Chicken Tortilla Soup for 2

**Brett Millier** 

Pot of Chicken Tortilla Soup for 2 people

#### 61.01 2 pounds of Homemade Granola

**Brett Millier** 

Six winners will each receive 2 pounds of Brett Millier's Yummy Homemade Granola

#### 62 Half a day (or so) of Fixit Paul

**Paul Stone** 

To give half a day or so fixing something around the house or other place. Carpentry, minor electrical or plumbing, or something. I'll bring the tools and me, you provide the whatever needs attention.

#### 63 An Apple a Day

**Marnie Wood** 

Pick some apples - make something tasty. Gather some folks together and have fun! A collection of apple themed items.

#### 64 Cozy up on a Cold Day

**Marnie Wood** 

Warm up on a cold day with a beautiful quilt, historic chocolate and potpourri

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#### 65.01 Instant Pot Extravaganza! - Saturday, March 30

Nita Hanson & David Martin

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Might you be an "Instant Pot head" too? Come explore this new-fangled appliance that does the job of a slow cooker, pressure cooker, steamer, yogurt maker and more, all in one! Nita and David invite 6 people to come join them for a multi-course dinner at their home on Saturday, March 30 from 4-7pm featuring recipes prepared with an Instant Pot.

#### 66.01 Make Radical Art with David Martin

**David Martin** 

David invites two individuals (together or separately) into his studio for a day to explore a found art project of their choosing, with him as coach/compadre/co-conspirator. Various tools and materials will be available to use, or you can bring your own. Sometime in June or July- exact timing TBD.

#### 67.01 The SUPPER Bowl Party

Connie Leach & Chris Prickitt

Join Connie Leach and Chris Prickitt at their Middlebury home for a fun "Bowl Party." It includes creating your very own supper bowl combination from a wide array of vegetarian, protein, and other yummy options. We'll likely do some singing before the evening is over. We request you bring a bowl or mug (any size) you are willing to pass on to someone else. Everyone attending will then leave with the treasure of a "new-to-them" bowl to add to the memories of the evening. The Supper Bowl Party will take place sometime in early spring at a time that works for 6-8 people who would like to attend.

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