



Honorary Consul of Lithuania to Vermont

Past Events

April 5, 2022, "Lithuania and Ukraine: Regional Security Challenges Today" A Zoom discussion with Her Excellency Audra Plepyté, Lithuanian Ambassador to the US and Mexico. Co-hosted by the Windham World Affairs Council. [Register here.](#)

August 18-19, 2021, Ambassador Audra Plepyte, and Attache Ryte Kukulskyte visit Brattleboro and Burlington Vermont. See [The Commons](#) and the [Brattleboro Reformer](#) for more information. Video link of [Cotton Mill visit.](#)

Coverage of [Ambassador's visit](#) to the "Lost Shul Mural"- [Restoration of the 1910 Mural.](#)

October 21, 2018, Join us to celebrate the [100 year anniversary of Lithuanian Independence](#) with Lithuanian Olympic Gold Medalist, Algimantas Shalna and his wife, Neringa. Details and [RSVP here.](#)

November 11, 2017, Ieva Jokubaviciute, pianist played as a part of the Musicians from Marlboro on its Chamber Music Series at Centre Congregational Church in Brattleboro. [Information and tickets here.](#)

July, 2017, Village Harmony, a singing organization based in Central Vermont, hosts a singing camp in Lithuania and gives concerts throughout the the country. See a clip from the morning news program "Labas Rytas" (Good Morning). [Go to 17:20 to see them.](#)

July 15, 2017, Lithuanian contemporary dance artists from "[B&B Dialogue](#)" perform their work after a two-week residency with the Vermont Performance Lab. [Article here](#)

April 7, 2017, Brattleboro Reformer interviews me for an [article](#) on the current political situation in Lithuania.

October 12, 2017, Camp Neringa hosts mushroom foraging weekend. See the wonderful article titled, "Mushroom Foraging in Vermont-Lithuanian Style. [Here](#)

May 3, 2016, [Vermont Performance Lab](#) Executive Director, Sara Coffey receives grant to attend the International Contemporary Dance Festival "New Baltic Dance" and to research collaboration opportunities.

October 23, 2015, Reception and cheese tasting at Grafton Village Cheese celebrating Lithuanian cheese Dziugas now regularly sold at the store. [Article here](#)

March 11, 2015, Twenty Five years of the Restoration of Independence from Soviet Occupation. Celebrate by spreading the word: [Believe In Freedom](#)

February 11, 2015, On the occasion of Lithuanian Independence Day on February 16th, Ms. Secrest was welcomed at the Vermont Statehouse and introduced on the House Floor. She also spoke before the House Commerce and Agriculture Committees regarding collaborative opportunities between Lithuania and Vermont.

October 24, 2014, Art Reception and talk by graphic artist Joana Danute Plikionyte, Brattleboro Museum and Arts Center. [Please register here!](#)

June 6, 2014, Opening Reception of the Honorary Consulate of Lithuania to Vermont with special guests His Excellency Zygimantas Pavilionis, Ambassador of Lithuania to the United States Mr. Vaidotas Asmonas, Attache for Agriculture and Commerce. [Press Release- Secrest appointed HC of Lithuania 5.14](#)

Press Links

- [Brattleboro Reformer](#)
- [The Commons, Commons follow-up article](#)
- [SIT Graduate Institute](#)
- [VTDigger.com, Lithuania Tribune](#)