

JULY 19, 2021 FREE EVENT 29 RAILROAD AVENUE

ESSEX JUNCTION, VT



Celebrate with Essex Junction as Amtrak Reopens for Business!



9:00 am - Kids! Stop by the Brownell Library pavilion at 6 Lincoln St. to make your train noisemaker for the Vermonter's arrival. Play with Brownell's toy train and learn more about their 1000 Books Before Kindergarten program which builds early literacy skills and prepares children for school. Participants will receive a train car for every 100 books read! Juice and snacks will be available.



9:44 am – 29 Railroad Ave. – Arrival of the Amtrak Vermonter to its first stop from St. Albans. Cheer as it pulls into the station and celebrate another step toward reopening Vermont! Amtrak is offering \$1 rides for travel within Vermont on July 19th. Visit the Amtrak website and use promo code V102.



10:00 am - 29 Railroad Ave. - Join us for coffee, local treats, and presentations from our representatives and Operation Lifesaver. The Essex Historical Society will share a display of historical paintings of the station.



10:45-11:15 am - Begins at 29 Railroad Ave. - Join the Community Development Director for a short walking tour to see the new and upcoming changes at 5 Corners in Downtown Essex Junction.