Public Safety Announcement

Bicycle Safety

Spring is here, and it’s perfect weather for a bike ride. Riding bikes is great exercise and a fun activity, but let’s make sure we’re safe:

- A properly-fitted helmet is the best way to prevent serious injury on a bike.
- It is always safest to ride your bike on a sidewalk; if that is not an option, you should ride in the same direction as traffic, and as far to the right as possible.
- When riding your bike along a roadway you need to follow the rules of the road, including using hand signals when you turn or stop.
- VT state law requires that anyone riding a bike after dark must equip the bike with a light.
- Bright colors, lights and reflectors are a good idea any time of day, to increase your visibility.

Please ride with your children, until you are sure they are able to do so safely on their own.

Thanks for helping us keep our town safe for everyone!