

# MEMBERS ABSENTEE BALLOT

- *MUST* be returned by Sept. 28, 2018 -

We are sorry that you are unable to attend. To vote by absentee ballot, please fill out the following and mail to:

*Vermont Historical Society, 60 Washington St. Suite 1  
Barre, VT 05641*

I approve all candidates

I approve only the following candidates:

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# VERMONT HISTORICAL SOCIETY

180<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting, Saturday, October 6, 2018

## LOCATION

Vermont History Museum,  
109 State St, Montpelier, VT

## KEYNOTE SPEAKER

Dr. Dennis Waring



## SCHEDULE

- 8:30am Registration & Light Refreshments
- 9:30am VHS Business Meeting & Awards Presentations
- 10:30am Keynote Address - Dr. Dennis Waring  
*The Estey Organ: An Ethnomusicologist's View*  
Organist: Marjorie Strong
- 11:30am Visit the new exhibit in our Local History Gallery, Brattleboro: The Defining Decades 1870-1920, featuring objects from both the Brattleboro Historical Society & Estey Organ Museum.

Online registration & full meeting details:  
[vermonthistory.org/annual-meeting](http://vermonthistory.org/annual-meeting)

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The Board of Trustees, upon the recommendation of the Trustees/Governance Committee chaired by Barbara Mieder, presents the following slate of candidates as trustees. Trustee bios are available on our website via the Annual Meeting page.

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## FOR A 3-YEAR TERM AS A VERMONT HISTORICAL SOCIETY TRUSTEE:

Roger Allbee, Townshend (3rd term)

Bill Lippert, Hinesburg (1st term)

Carl Lisman, Burlington (1st term)

Jill Mudgett, Morrisville (2nd term)

Roger Stone, Burlington (2nd term)

Nicholas Ward, Calais (3rd term)

## ABOUT DR. DENNIS WARING



Dr. Dennis Waring is an ethnomusicologist, educator, instrument maker and performer. He offers his globally oriented productions through lecture presentations in colleges and universities as well as assembly programs and workshops in public schools and libraries.

As a Master Teaching Artist, he was honored as Connecticut State Troubadour for 2003 and 2004. Dennis has written six books on musical instruments including *Manufacturing the Muse: Estey Organs and Consumer Culture in Victorian America*. He has circumnavigated the world twice on academic voyages as shipboard ethnomusicologist.

His instrument making workshops for people of all ages is a signature activity and his DVD "From Trash To Tunes" has garnered international recognition. He invents and manufactures instruments of all kinds. Comfortable with all styles of music, Dennis preforms throughout the northeast with various music groups.

## ANNUAL MEETING REGISTRATION FORM

This meeting is FREE, but we ask that you please register by September 28

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## TO REGISTER ONLINE, PLEASE VISIT

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