

Vermont Historical Society

Donor Privacy Policy

Our Commitment to Privacy

The Vermont Historical Society respects the privacy of every visitor to our museum, events, website and every user of our online and mobile apps. Your privacy is a priority, and we go to great lengths to protect it. This Privacy Policy describes how we collect and use information about our visitors. We know you care about your information and we want you to be fully informed about our practices.

The Data We Collect

Our website and online apps provide convenient ways for you to access our services and learn about important Vermont Historical Society opportunities and events. We collect information about our online visitors both directly from our visitors and indirectly from other companies that provide data to us. We use this information to communicate with our supporters and clients and process their transactions. We do not sell it to other organizations.

When you use our website or apps to make a financial contribution, register for a class or special event, sign up to volunteer, or apply for a job, we may ask you for your name, address, phone number(s), and other information relevant to the transaction. We will ask for standard credit card information when you make a financial donation, pay for an event, or make a purchase.

How We Secure Data

We use a variety of security measures to protect your data. We maintain physical, electronic and procedural safeguards to help prevent unauthorized access to and improper use of personally identifiable information.

We protect the security of credit card transactions using a number of measures such as encryption, access controls, network firewalls, and physical security. These measures make it extremely difficult for anyone to intercept the credit card information you send to us. When we work with other companies to process credit card transactions, those companies also use encryption and other appropriate security measures.

No website or electronic data can ever be completely secure, but we are always working to maintain up-to-date and appropriate security mechanisms.

How We Use Your Information

If you provide the Vermont Historical Society with personal information when you visit our museum, events, our website or use our apps, we may use the information in our programs and activities. We may enter your information into our database so we can contact you to obtain your input, provide information about our programs and events, request donations, or provide a more personalized online experience.

The Vermont Historical Society does not sell, trade, or share our donors' personally identifiable information with any other entity. We do not send mailings to our donors on behalf of other organizations unless the donor has given us specific permission to do so.

Contact Us About Privacy

To let us know how you would like us to contact you, or to opt-out of receiving phone calls, e-mails, texts or mail from the VHS, go to info@vermonthistory.org, contact us by phone at 802-479-8500 or write to: Vermont Historical Society 60 Washington Street, Barre, VT 05641