

Tuesday, September 24

3:00-5:00 PM	Early Registration The Colonial Theater
7:00-9:00 PM	<i>Join or Die</i> Screening SHOWROOM

Wednesday, September 25

7:30-9:00 AM	Registration The Colonial Theater
9:00-10:30 AM	Opening Ceremony & Keynote Panel The Colonial Theater
11:00-12:30 PM	Breakout Sessions <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The Audacity of Joy in Work Heberton Hall• Can You Create a New Economic Sector? Lessons Learned from Trying SHOWROOM• You Can Get There from Here: Innovations in Rural Transit Delegation Hall• Don't Miss Out on Clean Energy Dollars Available to Your Community - An Update Cohen Hall
12:30-2:00 PM	Lunch Break <ul style="list-style-type: none">• What You Need to Know About Fundraising & Grant Funding for Local News Hannah Grimes Center
2:00-3:30 PM	Breakout Sessions <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Building Physical Rural Arts Spaces One Community at a Time Delegation Hall• "I Can Help with That": Connecting You with Resources to Help Your Rural News Organization Heberton Hall• Working Across Fences: Rural Collaborative Land Management & Conservation on Private Lands SHOWROOM• Ordinary People, Extraordinary Work Cohen Hall
5:00-5:30 PM	Busses to CONNECT Railroad Square
5:30-8:00 PM	CONNECT Alyson's Orchard

Thursday, September 26

7:30-8:30 AM	Morning Activities <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Group Run Ted's Shoe & Sport● Yoga Class Everglow Wellness● Mural Tour Railroad Square● Glass Art Class Wicked Glass Art
8:30-9:00 AM	Registration The Colonial Theater
9:00-10:00 AM	Solutions Slam The Colonial Theater
10:00-10:30 AM	Keynote Session: Bridging What We Know with What We Do The Colonial Theater
11:00-12:30 PM	Breakout Sessions <ul style="list-style-type: none">● What is Social Practice Art? Come Quilt with us and Experience it Yourself Heberton Hall● Youth Entrepreneurship: Designing the Future of Learning by Fostering Entrepreneurial Mindset Delegation Hall● Supporting the Next Generation of Rural Farmers: Tools & Models for Service Providers in Connecting Farmers to Land SHOWROOM● Closing the Know-Do Gap: Becoming Emotion Scientists to Enhance Health & Wellbeing Cohen Hall
12:30-2:00 PM	Lunch Break <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Naturally New England Showcase Railroad Square
2:00-3:30 PM	Breakout Sessions <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Defending Democracy: How Three Rural Newsrooms are Upholding Civic Values in a Pivotal Election Year SHOWROOM● Young People and Rural Living: Reframing the Narrative Cohen Hall● Demystifying Policy: From Local Action to Community Impact Delegation Hall● What's the Latest in Clean Energy Heberton Hall
4:00-5:00 PM	Closing Session: A Nation of Neighbors The Colonial Theater
7:00-10:00 PM	Afterparty w/ Mr. Bill Bluegrass Band Brewbakers Cafe