

Technology for Tomorrow Receives AARP Grant to provide TechEd to Older Adults

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Picture from the Thayer House in Burlington, with SASH Coordinator Syndi Zook in the middle. The Thayer House is one of the three locations Technology for Tomorrow will serve through the AARP grant.

TECHNOLOGY FOR TOMORROW is pleased to announce that it has received a \$2,000 grant from AARP Vermont to provide technology education and workshops at multiple locations in Burlington that serve low-income older adults and senior citizens. The programming funded by this grant will take place at the Heineberg Senior Housing and the Thayer House, in collaboration with Cathedral Square and at the Champlain Senior Activity Center.

Technology for Tomorrow has three main objectives through this grant: 1) To collaborate with the three organizations in Burlington listed above 2) To provide one-to-one, customized, needs-based technology tutoring and/or workshops once a month at each location 3) To provide a regularly scheduled presence once per month for general technology education at the three grant-awarded locations.

As technology becomes more prevalent in everyday life and tasks, and the older adult population in Vermont continues to grow, collaborative partnerships like this between AARP, Technology for Tomorrow, and Cathedral Square are of the utmost importance. These partnerships enable necessary technology education opportunities in locations convenient for the older adult learners, and create opportunities for deeper engagement in their communities.

Technology for Tomorrow Mission: Technology for Tomorrow, a non-profit 501(c)(3) organization, empowers people in need by providing affordable technology education and supporting skills through various local, state, and national collaboration efforts, in order to help individuals reach their professional and personal goals.

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