

## **About Vardalia Onions**

My name is Mike Vardal and I am the creator of Vardalia Onions. I am 44 and live in CT with my wife and four kids ages 18, 13, 11, and 4. Since our last name is Vardal, a teacher used to call my daughter "Vardalia Onion" at school so I took the name and ran with it for our family. The YouTube channel was opened on April 15th, 2020 as a joke so I could do a funnier version of "Savage" by Megan Tha Stallion called "I'm a Salad." Because of my anxiety issues I was uncomfortable showing myself on camera, but could gain the confidence by wearing a wig or other costume. At first I was making comedy skits and music parodies on youtube. Now I am more into writing kid shows.

## **Purpose of Vardalia Onions**

I work in computer security, and when I was onsite (pre-corona) I worked long hours and had a long commute. I used to miss my kids' events, sometimes unexpectedly and it broke my heart when they asked where I was or why I wasn't there. To me, family comes first. My goal is to be able to spend more time with my family doing what I am doing, and creating wholesome entertainment for kids at the same time. My day job doesn't supply any sort of life satisfaction. At least I get joy and create memories with my family making videos and working together on ideas. My wife has the same beliefs and goals and she also has own channel called "Not All That Sparkles Shines" focusing on cleaning, organizing, and cooking.

## **Dogs of Town Hall**

"Dogs of Town Hall" is the kid series I create and publish on YouTube. The kids show features my preschooler as the leader of a pack of dogs, and has talking stuffed animals, animation, and live-action. It follows a pack of dogs on funny adventures, sometimes to distant lands such as "Beauty and The Beast" and "Alice in Wonderland." Some of the main characters include Avery (my 3yr old) as the leader of the pack, Rusty, Sampson, Dach, Butters, Cerberus, Blaze, Rocky, and Jasper the cat. Show ideas and voice acting, and some in-person acting is done by my entire family. The show is a tool for us to overcome our various anxiety issues and has helped us tremendously these past few months. On occasion, the "Dogs of Town Hall" will feature "guest stars" to voice act for visiting characters. In fact, there is a recent collaboration where the dogs go to visit "Tina from Not All That Sparkles Shines" and learn how to bake chocolate chip cookies together. The show is best for kids ages 2-8 years old, but it is made to be entertaining to people of all ages. This is not just another annoying kids show, and we aim to make it enjoyable by everyone, especially the parents.



Butters, Rusty, Sampson, Cerberus, Avery, Dach, and Blaze prepare for another fun adventure.

### **Cool Merchandise!**

We finally made the leap and now sell t-shirts, sweatshirts, dresses, skirts, iphone/android cases, clocks, blankets, pillows, kids clothes, and SO much more. The store is located here: <https://vardaliaonions.redbubble.com> Click on "Shop all products"

### **Customized birthday, anniversary, or other celebration video 'cards:'**

Let the dogs of your choosing (including Avery) send a birthday or other message to your loved one! Video is approximately 30-seconds long but can be longer upon request. Contact us for pricing.

### **Side-note on safety:**

Avery, the 4yr old, is never forced into anything. We ask her if she wants to make a video and we ask her every 5 minutes if she is ready to stop for the day.

### **Yes, we are listed on the IMDB!!**

Dogs of Town Hall: <https://www.imdb.com/title/tt14999518/>

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Vardalia Onions FaceBook: <https://facebook.com/VardaliaOnions>

Vardalia Onions Instagram: [https://instagram.com/vardalia\\_onions](https://instagram.com/vardalia_onions)

Vardalia Onions Tiktok: <https://vm.tiktok.com/ZMJmU7SK5>

Not All That Sparkles Shines YouTube channel: [www.youtube.com/c/NotAllThatSparklesShines](http://www.youtube.com/c/NotAllThatSparklesShines)

**Dogs of Town Hall videos:**

**Dogs of Town Hall merchandise:**

