

RANDOLPH WEEKLY

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www.randolphfoundationnh.org

The Town Selectmen's Secretary, Linda Dupont, is at the town hall Mon-Thurs. from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. Tel: 466-5771.

Email: selectmen@randolph.nh.gov.

Selectmen meetings are the 2nd and 4th Mondays of the month, subject to change; please call ahead.

Friday, July 7:

Library hours, 10 am-12 noon.

Saturday, July 8

RMC trail volunteers will work on the Israel Ridge Path on Sat., 8 July, starting at 9 AM and meeting at Bowman. Please wear clothes for trail work and bring eye protection, gloves, and loppers, hand clippers, and/or a small saw. The two crossings of the Israel River are likely to be challenging so be ready to get your feet wet and to use walking sticks! FMI Chris Campbell (207-356-1123; campbell@maine.edu).

Music in the Great North Woods is offering a Handel Messiah Sing-along Workshop for any who would like to participate, 1 – 4 pm at the Medallion Opera House in Gorham's Town Hall. Please bring a score from which to sing. Donations will offset a small orchestra. FMI: Tim Sappington, (603) 466-3862.

Sunday, July 9

Randolph Church Service 10:30 a.m. led by Elizabeth Hess, Randolph, NH. Susan Ferre, organist.

12:00 noon onwards. Woodspring-stock at the Cormier's on 62 Woodspring Rd. An afternoon of music featuring Dos Conoscoc y Joven, a Latin ensemble, along with two fiddle groups. Bring your own picnic. Rain location: Randolph Municipal Building. FMI 466-5841

"Music as Meditation": Pianist Ellen Schwindt will inaugurate the new Kohler and Campbell baby grand piano at the Medallion Opera House, Gorham Town Hall. 4:00 pm. Donations.

Opening reception for the Randolph Art Show. 5-7 pm at the Randolph Town Hall.

Monday, July 10

Library hours from 3-8 pm.

Tuesday, July 11

Trash pickup: Trash must be bagged, preferably in closed-lid cans and at the roadside by 7 a.m. Please do not leave trash outside overnight, as it attracts bears and crows.

Yoga, 5:30 at Town Hall. Donations.

Bridge players meet at Town Hall from 6:30 – 9:00 pm.

Wednesday, July 12

Selectmen's office hours, 9am – noon.

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Wednesday, July 12 (continued)

RMC Volunteer trail work, brushing and blazing on Monaway/Ladderback. Meet at Appalachia at 9 am. Appropriate footwear, eye protection and work gloves recommended; bring clippers, loppers and small tools. FMI contact Chris Campbell at (207) 356-1123.

Rug braiding and quilting, 9:30 am -noon, Town Hall.

Summer Reading Program, 3-4 pm. "Build a better world...One Bug at a Time!" Visiting artist Denise will work with the kids to design and make their own stamps and create beautiful "bug" prints. (Program may run over by 30 minutes.) Ages 4-12 years, but all are welcome.

Library hours: 3 -8 pm.

Thursday, July 13.

Middle and North Sugarloaf Hike. Trailhead off Zealand Road. Great views from open ledges, Moderate hike of 3.4 miles with 1100-foot elevation gain. Meet at Bowman at 9:00 AM. Children and dogs must be accompanied by adults responsible for them. Leaders: Barbara Cutter and Brian Roberts: 319-290-4404 or cutter.barbara@gmail.com.

Art Group meets at 9:30 at the Town Hall.

7:00 pm. Weeks State Park Talk: "Dragons and Damsels of New Hampshire." Pamela Hunt of the Audubon Society discusses the beautiful and ancient insect order *Odonata*. Summit Lodge. All events are free and open to the public.

The Heather Pierson Acoustic Trio are featured in concert at the Medallion Opera House. Gorham Town Hall. Tickets \$15 available at the White Mountains Café.

**Friday, July 14:**

Carl E. Lindblade of the University of New Hampshire's Speakers Bureau will present his lecture, "A Hotel Goes to Peace, Not War: The story of the Mount Washington Hotel and the International Monetary Conference at Bretton Woods." 6:30 p.m. at the Cross Memorial Meeting Room, Randolph Town Hall. Sponsored by the Randolph Public Library and the Friends of the Library. Free. Donations welcome.

Friday, July 21

Summer Reading July book discussion at Randolph Public Library, 1:30-3:30. We will discuss *Vinegar Girl* by Anne Tyler, a modern re-telling of Shakespeare's *Taming of the Shrew*. All welcome. Copies of the book are available at the library.

Notices for the Weekly must be submitted by Tuesday at 6 p.m.

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