

Published weekly in July & August, courtesy of the Randolph Foundation,

The Randolph Weekly is available on Friday afternoon in boxes located at Lowe's Garage, on Durand Road near the eastern entrance at the bend of the road, the corner of Nekal Lane & Randolph Hill Road (on light pole), at the corner of Randolph Hill Road & High Acres Road, the intersection of RT 2 and the Valley Rd, and in Raycrest (on the light pole at the top of the circle). Copies are also available at the library,

Town Hall, and on the Randolph Foundation Website:

www.randolphfoundationnh.org

Linda Dupont, assistant to the town selectman, is at the town hall Monday - Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Tel: 466-5771. Email: selectmen@randolph.nh.gov.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
7/12	7/13	7/14	7/15	7/16	7/17	7/18
Library open 1-5pm	Trash Pickup (All trash must be bagged and roadside by 7am) **	Town Clerk/ Tax Collector open call to verify hours (603-466-57 71) 8-10am, 7-9pm Library open 1-5pm	Gorham Farmers Market 3-6pm		Lancaster Farmers Market 9am-noon Library open 10am-noon	

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

**DO NOT leave garbage out Monday night. This attracts bears.

THIS WEEKEND

Saturday, July 10

Help maintain RMC trails by clipping branches and keeping trails clear. First-time volunteers welcome. Two RMC volunteer trail work trips. One shorter trip and one longer trip. Short trip is the Link. Round trip mileage = 1.4 miles, with .7 miles work section and is from 9 to 12. Longer trip is Spur Trail. Round trip mileage = 7.5 miles, with 1 mile work section and is from 8 to 4. Both trips start at Appalachia, please park at Ravine House and use Bee Line to cut across. Bring gloves, tools for trail work if you have them (RMC will provide if needed), and food and water. For information/questions contact wendy.walsh@unh.edu or 603-401-7899. Check RMC Facebook page for updates.

Sunday, July 11

• 10:30am Morning Worship at the Randolph Church. Stanley Wheeler, worship leader; Susan Ferré, organist; Charley Lang, special music. Please observe current health and safety measures.

THIS WEEK

Tuesday, July 13

• Shot of J.D. 6:30-8:30pm on the Gorham town common. There will be a concession stand.

Wednesday, July 14

• Children's outdoor program "Tails and Tales" 3pm. Puppets, songs, and books. All ages. Dress for the weather. Will be cancelled in case of rain.

Child/Youth Sports Programs: The Randolph Foundation is paying the difference between "resident" and "non-resident" fees for child/youth sports programs. Parents need to choose "YES" to the "Gorham Town Resident" question when registering and paying online. You must include your Randolph address when doing this and pay the Gorham resident fee. ABSOLUTELY NO REFUNDS will be made to parents after the fact, so be sure to sign up correctly when registering. Questions: contact Angela Brown at angela_f_brown@yahoo.com. DO NOT contact the rec dept about this benefit.

Gorham Parks and Rec: Pickleball open play league: Registration open, Wednesdays 5-7pm 5/26/21-8/11/21 FMI <u>istewart@gorhamnh.org</u> (603)466-2101

Children's Summer Reading Program: We encourage all children to pick up a "Tails & Tales" Summer Challenge Reading Log to complete and return for some fun prizes. Logs available for all children ages newborn - 12 years. Reading logs are available now and throughout the summer. There will be an outdoor Children's Program with the same theme on Wednesday afternoons at 3:00 p.m. beginning July 14 and running through August 18. Come prepared with sunblock and appropriate clothing. Please call the library in case of inclement weather.

Library Book and Bake Sale: Friday, July 23 at 4:00 p.m. The Randolph Library needs Volunteers to help setup tables and sort books at the Town Hall. The book sale will take place on July 24 & 25 from 9:00 - 2:00 each day. We are expanding the book sale and spreading out over two locations: Randolph Town Hall, 130 Durand Road and the Old Library/Schoolhouse, 104 Durand Road. Sales will be by donation and/or \$5 a bag. Watch for more information.

From the Health Officers:

Welcome back to Randolph! This summer finds us in a very different position than last. While the virus that causes COVID-19 is still present, safe practices and a high vaccination rate in NH allow more flexibility for being together this summer.

There are still a few guidelines to maintain this good news:

- The state mask mandate in NH has been lifted, however, businesses may require masks be worn while patrons are inside their business. Please respect their right to do so.
- There are no group size limits at this time. Please consider having larger gatherings outside, or if it must be inside, assure room for physical distancing, adequate ventilation, and air circulation.
- Masks are not required while hiking or other outdoor activities.
- Unvaccinated individuals should wear masks when in public to protect those who might have compromised immune systems. If you are immunocompromised or routinely in contact with vulnerable people, consider wearing a mask when in crowds or unable to maintain physical distances.
- A group of fully vaccinated people are able to forgo wearing masks with minimal risks.
- Continue to practice good hand hygiene using soap and water if available, hand sanitizer if not.

Thank you and see you around Randolph!

Kai Parlett of Randolph will continue to edit the weekly in 2021! Notices for the Weekly should be sent to <u>jo.kai.parl@gmail.com</u>, or phone (603) 723-6991. If you send an email, please put Randolph Weekly in the subject line. Deadline for submission is Wednesday by noon.