

Randolph Weekly



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Friday, August 12

Valley charades organizational meeting. 4 p.m. Meiklejohn House porch, 98 Durand Rd. FMI Tom Breunig 466-3977.
Concert. 7:30 p.m. David Westfall, piano. St. Barnabas Episcopal Church. Berlin.

Saturday, August 13

Randolph Library open 10 a.m. to noon.

Service of Thanksgiving for the life of Margaret "Peg" Post. 2 p.m. Randolph Church.

RMC Annual Meeting. 7:30 p.m. Randolph town hall. Speaker: David Govatski, retired forester & historian who will present a program on The Weeks Act. Copies of the minutes of the Aug. 2010 meeting are available at Lowes' Store.

Yankee Lumberjack. Speaker: Dick Fortin. 7 p.m. at the Dolly Copp Campground. FMI, call the Androscoggin Ranger Station at (603) 466-2713.

Sunday, August 14

Randolph Church service, 10:30 a.m. Ecumenical Communion Service. Edgar Adams, Richmond, VA & TBA. Organist: Heywood Alexander. 127th Annual Meeting at 11:30 a.m.

Hill Charade organizational meeting. 4 p.m. The Arnolds', 403 Randolph Hill Road.

Hymn Sing. 8 p.m. at the Sappingtons'. 56 Boothman Lane.

Compline at St. Barnabas Episcopal Church, corner of High & Main in Berlin. 8 p.m. A sung service of chant, candlelight and incense, for the blessing of a quiet night. Susan Ferré, music director.

Monday, August 15

Town Clerk office open 9-11 a.m.

Randolph Library open 10 a.m. to noon.

Midland charade meeting at the Woodruff cottage, 171 Randolph Hill Rd. 3 p.m. FMI: Charlotte Winchell 978-503-2677 or Renee Dunham 466-2105.

Tuesday, August 16

Trash pick-up. Trash must be bagged, preferably in closed-lid cans, & at the roadside by 7 a.m. Bears & crows are attracted to trash left out overnight.

RMC hike. Bog Ledge on the Cliffway. Leader: Jeff Bean, 203-565-1597, jeffbean3@yahoo.com.

Appalachia to Bog Ledge/White Cliff via Amphibrach, Monoway, Ladderback, Cliffway, 5.5mi, 1350', perhaps 3.5hr. The trails are lightly used. Views to the north from White Cliff & of the summits & ravine from Bog Ledge & King's Cliff. Children & pets must be accompanied by an adult responsible for them. Meet at Appalachia at 9 a.m.

Yoga. 5:15 p.m. Randolph town hall. All welcome. Donation.

Drop-in bridge. Randolph town hall. 6:15.

Wednesday, August 17

RMC Volunteer work hike. 9 a.m. Brushing Burnbrae. Meet at trailhead on Durand Road. Arrive on foot, if possible, & consider carpooling. Bring pruning shears, nippers or loppers, if you have them, & garden gloves. Volunteers will be entered in a drawing for their choice of RMC goods at the end of season. FMI, or if you need tools, call 466-5841.

Randolph Public Library open 3-8 p.m.

Randolph Public Library 3-4 p.m. Children's story time. *One World, Many Stories*. The last story hour of the summer—a visit to China. For children ages 3 to grade 3, but all are welcome. Children participating in the “Read to Feed” program should return all reading logs and donations today.

Midland charade meeting at the Woodruff cottage, 171 Randolph Hill Rd. 5 p.m. FMI Charlotte Winchell 978-503-2677 or Renee Dunham 466-2105.

Avitar Assessor Connie Jackson will give a 1 hour informational program on how to find, read and interpret the assessing information on a property card. 5 p.m. Randolph town hall. Avitar Associates of New England, Inc. is the company that conducted the 2009 reassessment of Randolph properties.

Town Clerk office open 7-9 p.m..

The lasting legacy of the Civilian Conservation Corps. Speaker: Jake Lubera. 8 p.m. AMC's Pinkham Notch Visitor Center. FMI: Androscoggin Ranger Station at 466-2713.

RMC Introduction to the Summer Sky. Leader: Sarah Clemmitt 723-3222

A chance to get oriented to the summer sky – the constellations, the ecliptic, the moon & the Earth's rotation. Meet at Sugarplum Farm, 232 Randolph Hill Road, at 8:30 p.m. Bring flashlight or headlamp & binoculars, if you have them. Children must be accompanied by adults who are responsible for them. August 18 rainedate.

Thursday, August 18

Quilting and Crafts at the Randolph town hall. 1-4 p.m. Everyone welcome. FMI Rita Savage at 466-5565.

Randolph Public Library open 3-8 p.m.

Weeks State Park. 7 p.m. *The Weeks Act Legacy Trail*. Speaker: Dave Govatski. Free. Weeks State Park is located about 2 miles south of Lancaster on Route 3. FMI 788-4004.

Friday, August 19

The Randolph Foundation Annual Meeting, 4 p.m. at the town hall. Wine & appetizer reception & short business meeting. Marilyn Cooper of WREN will speak about the local farmers' markets & WREN's support of local artisans.

Saturday, August 20

Fire Association Pancake Breakfast at the Fire Station on Pinkham B Road. 7:30-10 a.m.

The RMC Annual Picnic & Charades. Mossy Glen Amphitheater off Durand Road. Noon. Rides provided, for those who wish, to the amphitheater from Durand Rd. All welcome & encouraged to attend this traditional summer event. Bring your own lunch & cup. Punch will be provided. In the event of rain, picnic & charades will be moved to the town hall. Order of charades: Midlands, Valley, Hill, Mountain. FMI: Sarah Gallop 466-9810 or Barb Phinney 466-2000.

Square dance at Beringers' barn, Sugar Plum Farm, 232 Randolph Hill Road. 7:30 p.m. Music & calling by National Heritage Fellows, Dudley & Jacqueline Laufman Many thanks to Marie Beringer for her generous support of this event. Donations to the RMC gratefully accepted at the door. FMI: Sarah Gallop 466-9810 or Barb Phinney 466-2000.

NOTICES

Randolph Hill Road is expected to be under construction until October. FMI about the project, see the Town of Randolph website at www.randolph.nh.gov and click on “Randolph Hill Road Construction Progress Notices” or contact Eric Grenier, EIT, Resident Engineer (HEBergeron Engineering) at (603-723-4693 or egrenier@hebengineers.com). Eric is sending occasional emailed updates to those who sign up for the emails. To receive them, call or email Eric. Questions or comments should be directed to Eric or to the selectmen, NOT the workmen.

*Notices for the Weekly must be in by Tuesday at 6 p.m.
Please call Gail Scott (466-5498) or email MSCOTT1@ne.rr.com.*