

# RANDOLPH WEEKLY

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[www.randolphfoundationnh.org](http://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.*

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

## Ongoing Weekly Calendar

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Town Clerk hrs. 9-11 am</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Trash pickup- from covered bins by side of road, 7 am</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Rug braiding and quilting, 9:30–noon at Town Hall</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Art Group 9:30 – noon at Town Hall</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Library open 10-12 noon</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Library open 10-12 noon</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Library open 3-8 pm</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Yoga, 5:30 pm</li> <li>• Bridge 6-9 pm at Town Hall</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Library open 3 -8 pm</li> <li>• Town Clerk: 7-9 pm.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Berlin Community. Market, Main St., 5-8 pm</li> </ul>		

## Weekly Events

### Saturday, July 29

“Dance Around the Pumps” at Lowe’s Garage. 7 pm. Come early and bring something to put on the grill. Music by Larry and Betty Williams of Bloomfield, VT.

### Sunday, July 30

Randolph Church Service 10:30 a.m. led by Theodore May of Oakton, VA. Christa Rakich, Organist.

Concert organist Christa Rakich will play the annual concert at the Randolph Church at 4 pm. All donations will go toward the Benevolence Fund.

### Monday, July 31

North Country Council Trail Systems Meeting, Whitefield Regional High School. All trail stakeholders are invited to give input about the ongoing and future use of our trails. FMI: Tara Bamford at [tbamford@nccouncil.org](mailto:tbamford@nccouncil.org) and to RSVP.

### Tuesday, August 1

RMC Hike: The Imp Trail is a moderately difficult hike with a total distance of 4.4 miles and a guidebook time of 4 hours and 10 minutes. It starts 5.4 miles south of Gorham on Rt. 16 and ends on Rt. 16 - .3 miles further south. Meet at Randolph East at 9 a.m. and head for Rt. 16 via Dolly

Copp. We will lunch at 2.2 miles, on the Imp Profile located on a west spur of North Carter Mountain with excellent views of the Presidentials. We will continue around the Imp Brook Ravine and descend to the southern trailhead. This is a dog friendly trail and a good hike for school aged children. Please contact Laurie Archambault at [laura.archambault1@gmail.com](mailto:laura.archambault1@gmail.com) or Wendy Walsh at [wendy.walsh@unh.edu](mailto:wendy.walsh@unh.edu) for more information.

### **Wednesday, August 2**

RMC volunteer work trip: Edmands Col Cutoff. We will meet at the trailhead on Jefferson Notch Road for brushing. Wear appropriate footwear, eye protection, and work gloves; also bring hand clippers, loppers, or a small saw. Chris Campbell ([campbell@maine.edu](mailto:campbell@maine.edu); 207-356-1123).

Summer Children's Program, 3-4 pm. The regular librarian will be away, but kids and parents are invited to come in and create your own fun. Make a puzzle, play a game, build something, draw something, read a book, put on a puppet show. Ages 4-12 years, but all are welcome.

### **Thursday, August 3**

RMC Gourmet Hike to the Pine Mountain ledges. Meet at Randolph East at 10:00 am. We will carpool to the Pine Mt. trailhead on the Pinkham B Notch Dolly Copp Rd. and ascend via the Ledge Trail. A shorter route will be available for those who wish to take it. Bring a dish to share. Email or call Franklin Stone Wenk at [franklin@stonewenk.com](mailto:franklin@stonewenk.com); (917) 597-1848 or Jenn Scarinza at [jbarton@ttlc.net](mailto:jbarton@ttlc.net); (603) 631-0870.

7:00 pm. Weeks State Park Talk: "Lucy Crawford: A Living History Presentation." Summit Lodge, Lancaster NH. (603-788-4004.) 200 Week's State Park Rd, Lancaster, NH 03584.

## **Coming Events**

### **Saturday, August 5:**

Annual Community Forest Day. Meet at Town Hall at 9, tour at 10. See attached flyer.

Story Slam at the Randolph Church from 4 to 6 pm. Come and share a 4-minute tale of what Randolph was like "back in the day." If you would like to tell a story, please contact Sarah Gallop at [seg@mit.edu](mailto:seg@mit.edu) and Bill Minifie at [whminifie@gmail.com](mailto:whminifie@gmail.com). All are invited to come hear the stories, which will be recorded and preserved as we begin to plan for Randolph's bicentennial in 2024.

### **Sunday August 6**

Midlands Charades Meeting at the Dunham's, 147 Randolph Hill Rd. BYOW (Bring your own word). FMI Renee Dunham, 603-466-2105 or Charlotte Woodruff 978-503-2677.

### **Thursday, August 10**

RMC Gourmet Dinner at Libby's Bistro at 6 pm -summer RMC fundraiser. To reserve, contact Jenn Scarinza, [jbarton@ttlc.net](mailto:jbarton@ttlc.net) or Franklin Stone Wenk, 917- 597-1848 or [franklin@stonewenk.com](mailto:franklin@stonewenk.com).

### **Friday, August 11**

Summer Reading Group Book Discussion: *Between the World and Me* by Ta-Nehisi Coates; written as a letter to the author's teenage son about the history and reality of being Black in America. FMI Sue Kern, 603-466-5255. Copies of the book are available at the Randolph Library.