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The Town Administrative Assistant, Rodney Hayes, is at the town hall Mon.-Fri. from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Tel: 466-5771. Email: selectmen@randolph.nh.gov. Selectmen meetings are the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Mondays of the month, subject to change; call ahead.

### Saturday, August 27

Weeks Centennial Celebration Trails Work Day. 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Leader: Cristin Bailey. Meet at Goetze Workshop. Please use access from Rt. 2. Three miles of trail work, brushing Monaway trail & clearing drainages on the Amphibrach. Wear long pants & sturdy work/hiking boots. Bring lunch. Tools provided.

Randolph Library open 10 a.m. to noon.

The Early Pathmakers, The Creation, Destruction & Rebuilding of the RMC Trail System: a slide lecture with dramatic readings. Speaker: Judy Hudson. 7 p.m. Randolph town hall. Hudson is historian for the Randolph Mountain Club & the author of *Peaks & Paths*, a history of the RMC written for its centennial celebration in 2010. The talk is sponsored by the Randolph Mountain Club, as part of the Weeks Act Centennial celebration. Free. All welcome.

Recreational Mineral Collecting on the White Mountain National Forest. 7 p.m. at the Dolly Copp Campground. FMI, call the Androscoggin Ranger Station at (603) 466-2713.

### Sunday, August 28

Randolph Church service, 10:30 a.m. Charles J. Minifie, Hilton Head Island. Organist: Patti Dunn.

The Cormiers' host *Woodspring-stock*, an outdoor festival of music, at their home at 62 Woodspring Road. 1-5 p.m. Musicians attending will be Fireside Fiddlers, Shelburne Addition & Kid Dizzy plus anyone up for jamming. Bring a lawn chair & picnic, if you like. This event is free but donations will be accepted to offset the cost of the musicians. FMI Michele or Paul 466-5841

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 29

The RMC fall crew begins work today & continues until Sept. 7. The crew is Anders Krauss, Benzo Harris, Curtis Moore, Leslie Ruster & Stephanie Oleksyk. Fall projects: Lowes path & Spur trail & fall drainage maintenance.

Town Clerk office open 9-11 a.m.

Randolph Library open 10 a.m. to noon.

#### Tuesday, August 30

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

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

#### Wednesday, August 31

Randolph Public Library open 3-8 p.m.

Town Clerk office open 7-9 p.m.

White Mountain CSI: An Investigative Look at Your Forest. 8 p.m. AMC's Pinkham Notch Visitor Center. FMI: Androscoggin Ranger Station at 466-2713.

# Thursday, September 1

Quilting & 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.

# Saturday, September 3 & Sunday September 4—Big Moose Bach Fest

With a grant from the N.H. Charitable Foundation, Music in the Great North Woods, chaired by Randolph resident Susan Ferré, presents the music of Bach, played entirely on period instruments & sung in styles that would have been known in Bach's time. See following:

# Saturday, September 3

Big Moose Bach Fest. 10 a.m. *Bach & Math*, illustrated on harpsichord. Speaker: Victor Hill, Professor Emeritus of Mathematics, Williams College. Randolph town hall. 130 Durand Road. Donation.

Big Moose Bach Fest. 2:30 p.m. Christa Rakich & Peter Sykes play *Clavierübung III*, Master Organ Series, organ & harpsichord, Hook & Hastings organ, St. Kieran Community Center for the Arts, 155 Emery St., Berlin, NH, Donation,

Big Moose Bach Fest. 7:30 p.m. Concert of chamber music, solo cantatas, Olympic organ, Kingston harpsichord, original instruments. Gorham Town Hall, facing the Town Common, Gorham. David Grogan, baritone, Dallas, Texas, sings *Cantata Ich habe genu*. Tenor Christian Labnon, Gorham, & soprano Miranda Bergmeier, Berlin, sing solo cantatas & arias. Period performances by keyboardist Susan Ferré & violoncellist Charles Lang. Donation.

# Sunday, September 4

Randolph Church service, 10:30 a.m. Eleanor McLalughlin, Randolph. Organist: Suzanne Ozorak.

Big Moose Bach Fest. 4:30 p.m. 12 singers & soloists perform *Jesu, meine Freude* & Cantata 78, *Jesu, der du meine Seele*, directed by Susan Ferré. The Aria from *St. Matthew Passion*, played by Charles Lang & sung by baritone David Grogan. Original instruments—Bedient and Olympic organs. St. Barnabas Episcopal Church, 2 High Street (at Main), Berlin. Donation.

#### September 9-11—Muster in the Mountains

A colonial encampment of reenactors recreate life in North America from 1750-1840. Demonstrations the use of tools, clothing, & firearms from the period. Saturday features a mock battle. FMI: <a href="www.MtWashingtonAutoRoad.com">www.MtWashingtonAutoRoad.com</a>.

#### Saturday, September 17

Benefit dinner for the Mt. Crescent Trailhead Project. Hosted by *the Boothman girls* & their families in Mt. Crescent House style. Randolph town hall. Seatings at 5:30 & 7 p.m. Baked ham, maple baked beans, lobster Newburg, smoked tongue, potato salad, shrimp, sweet potato casserole, tossed salad, a vegetarian dish, fresh baked rolls, Becky's famous sticky buns, Gwen's maple cake. \$35 per person. For tickets: John at 466-5775, Barbara at 466-2438, Michele at 466-5841, Lowes' at 466-3950, Grand View Lodge at 466-5715.

#### NOTICES

Randolph Hill Road is expected to be under construction until October. FMI about the project, see the Town of Randolph website at <a href="www.randolph.nh.gov">www.randolph.nh.gov</a> and click on "Randolph Hill Road Construction Progress Notices" or contact Eric Grenier, EIT, Resident Engineer (HEBergeron Engineering) at (603-723-4693 or <a href="mailto:egrenier@hebengineers.com">egrenier@hebengineers.com</a>. 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.

This is the last Randolph Weekly for 2011. Have a wonderful winter. Events notices should now be sent to Blizzard editor Barbara Arnold at barnold@ne.rr.com.