# RANDOLPH 🔨 WEEKLY

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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; call ahead.

### Friday, August 12

Randolph Library is open 10 a.m. – 12 noon.

#### Saturday, August 13

RMC Volunteer Work Trip: Brushing and blazing the Cliffway trail. Meet at 9 AM at Appalachia. Bring loppers, hand clippers, and/or small saw, work gloves, eye protection, and snacks. Contact Chris Campbell (207-356-1123; <u>campbell@maine.edu</u>) if you have questions and check RMC website for updates: <u>www.randolphmountainclub.org</u>/

Randolph Library is open 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

RMC Annual Meeting at the Randolph Town Hall at 7 p.m. Following the business meeting, our speaker, Ty Gagne, will present an in-depth analysis of the February 2015 tragedy in which solo hiker Kate Matrosova died near the Star Lake Trail between Mt. Madison and Mt. Adams. She had set out from the Appalachia trailhead in Randolph, and encountered severe winter weather above treeline. Mr. Gagne, the CEO of Primex, the New Hampshire Public Risk Management Exchange, will discuss risk management practices that can be used both in the backcountry and more urban environments. Light refreshments will be served and the public is welcome to attend.

## Sunday, August 14

Randolph Church Service 10:30 a.m., led by John Weatherly of Alexandria, VA. Heywood Alexander, organist. Following the Service, the Randolph Church will hold its 132<sup>nd</sup> Annual Meeting.

4:00 p.m. The Hill Charade group will meet at the Beringers' barn.

#### Monday, August 15

Randolph Library is open from 3 - 8 p.m.

#### **Tuesday, August 16**

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.

RMC Road Trip: Museum Tour with the curator. "Taking the Lead: Women and the White Mountains" at the Museum of the White Mountains, 34 Highland St. in Plymouth, NH, a 1 ¼ hour drive. Contact Ben Phinney (617-699-7515 or *phinneyben@me.com*) by August 14 to reserve your spot for carpool to be at the museum by 10:45 a.m. Bring picnic lunch to enjoy in Franconia Notch on the return journey. FMI see <u>www.plymouth.edu/museum-of-the-white-mountains/exhibitions/taking-the-lead.</u>

Drop-in Bridge at the Randolph Town Hall, 6 - 9 p.m.

## Wednesday, August 17

RMC Volunteer trail crew: We will help Carl Herz (Gray Knob caretaker) block impromptu trails formed by hikers near the Log Cabin on Lowe's Path. The goal is to keep hikers on the trail itself; meet at Appalachia. FMI contact Chris Campbell, (207-356-1123) or <u>campbell@maine.edu.</u>

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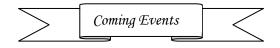
# Thursday, August 18

RMC trip: Goose Eye and Mahoosuc Notch. Leader: Randy Meiklejohn (<u>*rmeiklejohn at verizon.net</u>*). Ascent via Notch Trail, then south on Mahoosuc Trail (Appalachian Trail) over Fulling Mill Mtn. and the three peaks of Goose Eye; descent via Goose Eye Trail. In the middle portion of this route, along the AT, there are small rocky summits, scrubby open ridges and two box ravines. Total 10 miles, 2260' vertical gain. Meet at Randolph East at 8 a.m. We will drive about ten miles on Success Pond Road (unpaved) to reach the trailhead. Children and dogs must be accompanied by adults who are responsible for them.</u>

WREN Local Works Farmers' Market, Pleasant Street, Berlin. 3-7 p.m. Fresh local vegetables, meat, eggs, bread, and more. Live music, 4:30-6:30 p.m. Jane Storella of the Bethlehem Colonial will demonstrate cooking with local produce from 5-6 p.m.

Randolph Town Library Concert. "Around the World in 30 Instruments," a performance by Celtic duo "4 Shillings Short," features Celtic, folk and world music. Randolph Town Hall, 7 -9 p.m. FMI contact Wendy MacDonald (603-915-1025) or go to <u>www.4shillingsshort.com</u>. Donation.

Weeks State Park program, 7 p.m. Old growth trees (Evening program and field trip the next day.) Charlie Cogbill. Sponsored by the UNH Cooperative Extension and NH Div of Parks. Summit Lodge, 200 Week's State Park Rd., Lancaster, NH 03584. Phone: 603-788-4004.



## Friday, August 19

Randolph Foundation Annual Meeting, 4 - 6 p.m., Randolph Town Hall. A brief business meeting will be followed by a presentation by Dwight Bradley "Renewable Energy and the Ore Deposits of Critical Elements." A wine and cheese reception will follow.

# Saturday, August 20

Randolph Fire Association Annual Pancake Breakfast; 7:30 - 10 a.m., Randolph Municipal Building on Pinkham B Road.

The RMC Annual Picnic and Charades, Noon – 2 p.m., Mossy Glen

Square Dance to benefit the RMC at Beringer's Barn, 7:30 p.m.

## Note:

Copies of the book The Brain's Way of Healing by Norman Doidge are now available at the library to check out for the Summer Reading Group discussion on August 26.