

# Randolph Weekly



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[www.randolph.nh.gov](http://www.randolph.nh.gov).

*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](mailto: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.*

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## **Saturday, July 27**

RMC volunteer work trip on Ice Gulch Path. Meet at 9 a.m. at the trailhead near Kenyon's Barn on Randolph Hill Road. Park on south side of road only. Plan to clear the first half of the path to the lower end of Ice Gulch. Bring lunch, loppers, nippers, tools of choice. Leader: Michele Cormier 466-5841

The Presidential Gem & Mineral Society will lead a trip to the Crystal Mine on the Randolph Community Forest. All are welcome. Meet at the Bowman Trailhead at 9:30 a.m. Rough walking is involved; wear appropriate footwear & bug protection. The Town of Randolph has declared this mine to be a natural resource. It is now protected by state law.

Randolph library open 10 a.m. to noon.

Lowe's Square Dance Around the Pumps. 7 p.m. All welcome.

## **Sunday, July 28**

Randolph Church service. 10:30 a.m. William May, Bethesda. Organist: Heywood Alexander.

Used books & new art are available at the old Randolph library. 3-5 p.m.

Compline. 9 p.m. Randolph Church. A sung service of chant. The last of the season. Susan Ferré, music director.

## **Monday, July 29**

Town Clerk office hours, 9-11 a.m.

Drawing class. 9 a.m. to noon. Town hall. Instructor: Steve Teczar. \$10 per person. FMI: [ingridpgraff@gmail.com](mailto:ingridpgraff@gmail.com).

Randolph Library open, 10 a.m. to noon.

Midland charade meeting. 4 p.m. Guy Stever's. 59 Randolph Hill Road.

## **Tuesday, July 30**

Trash pick-up. Trash must be bagged, preferably in closed-lid cans, & at the roadside by 7 a.m.

RMC Hike. Falling Waters trail to summit of Little Haystack, to summit of Lafayette, & down the Bridlepath. Co-leaders: Andy Wiley & Mary Minifie. 978-501-0951. A full day, vigorous hike. Approximately 7.8 mi. Meet at Randolph east at 7 a.m. Carpool to Lafayette Place parking area on the east side of Rte 93 in Franconia. Rain date: Wed., July 31. Children & dogs must be accompanied by adults who are responsible for them.

RMC short walk. Hike up the Fallsway to see three Coos County champion trees & the NH champion red spruce in the Snyder Brook Scenic Area, a 36-acre old-growth forest. Approximately 1 mi. Leaders: UNH Cooperative Extension County Forester Brendan Prusik & Edith Tucker. Meet at Appalachia at 10:30 a.m. Bring lunch, water, enjoy wading in Snyder Brook. Adult must accompany children under 12. Please, no dogs.

Yoga, 5:15 p.m. town hall.

Music in the Great North Woods event. Andrea LeBlanc, flute; David Kim, fortepiano. 7:30 p.m. Gorham Town Hall.

**Wednesday, July 31**

Free lecture on digital photography at WMNF headquarters, Campton. Speaker: WMNF photographer-in-residence John Anderson. Discussion & hands-on. 10-11:30 a.m. & 1-2:30 p.m. Bring camera. FMI: [www.aannh.org](http://www.aannh.org).

Randolph public library. 3-4 p.m. Children's Program. *Cardboard Tube Architecture for Kids*. If anyone would like to contribute tubes of any size for this project, drop them off at the library. Randolph public library open to all, 3-8 p.m.

Used books & new art at the old library. 3-5 p.m.

Town clerk's office will not be open in observation of the Town Picnic.

Town Picnic featuring the Berlin Jazz Band. 6:30-8:30 p.m. Randolph Municipal Building on Pinkham B Road. Bring your own food & beverage & enjoy time with friends & family as well as listening & dancing to great live music. Sponsored by Friends of the Randolph Library. No fee but donations to help defray the cost of the band are gratefully accepted. FMI call Dede Aube at 723-0847

**Thursday, August 1**

Art Group. 9-noon. Randolph town hall.

RMC Gourmet Hike. Pine Mt via Pine Mt Road & Ledge Trail. Round trip: 3.5 mi. Easy climb with some steep sections, affording beautiful views. Elevation: 800 ft. Bring "gourmet" lunch items to share. Meet at Randolph East at 9:30 a.m. to arrange carpools to trailhead parking area to avoid congestion at the trail parking. Several cars will be permitted to park at the Horton Center for those who prefer to take the shorter path from the Horton Center to the ledges overlooking Pinkham Notch. Children must be accompanied by adults who are responsible for them. FMI: Sarah & Andy Gallop 466-9810 or Barb & Ben Phinney 466-2000.

Quilting Group. 1-3 p.m. Randolph town hall. FMI: Julie Barrow. 466-3449

Randolph public library open 3-8 p.m.

Weeks State Park Association presents *Loons: The daily life of a new loon family*. A slide show. Speaker: photographer Ray Richer. 7 p.m. Weeks State Park is located on the east side of Rt. 3, 2 mi south of Lancaster.

**Friday, August 2**

*An Elevated Kind of Madness. An overview of Mountaineering: who, when, where, how, why?* Slide lecture by Bob Kruszyna. 7 p.m. Randolph town hall. Sponsored by the Friends of the Randolph Library.

**COMING EVENTS****Saturday, August 3**

A celebration of the life of John Dykstra Eusden, Randolph Church. 2 p.m. Reception at the Eusden home immediately following the service. 226 Durand Road.

**Wednesday, August 7**

RMC Gourmet Dinner at Libby's Bistro. Reservations required. \$35 per person at the door. Cocktails at 6 p.m. Dinner at 7 p.m. RSVP Sarah Gallop at [seg@mit.edu](mailto:seg@mit.edu) or Barb Phinney at [cooper448@me.com](mailto:cooper448@me.com). Raffle tickets, new RMC items & more offered. If you are interested in sponsoring a member of the trail or hut crew, please let Sarah or Barb know.

**Saturday, August 10**

RMC annual meeting. 7 p.m. town hall. Speaker: Dyk Eusden, co-author of *The Geology of NH's White Mountains*.

**NOTICES**

The Ravine House Pool dam will be under construction & closed this summer. It is expected that the work will begin July 26 & be completed by Sept. 15. Access to Durand Lake & the community recreation area will be via the Beeline Path—NOT over the pool dam.

Notices for the Weekly must be in by Tuesday at 6 p.m.  
Please drop off your notice at 162 Randolph Hill Road or email [MSCOTT1@ne.rr.com](mailto:MSCOTT1@ne.rr.com).