

NEWS & NOTES

View weekly, monthly and special events for May or for the next 6 months.

Missing trail signs: Several trail signs are missing along the Eastman trail system. Please contact Peter Hope, 863-6456, if you have picked them up or know of their

whereabouts. Replacing signs involves considerable expense and labor.

Tennis Anyone? The ECA courts are open and in fantastic condition. Come out and play today. Reminder: you or your guests must have a season tennis tag or day tag to play. Tennis tags can be purchased at South Cove Activity Center front desk 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. daily. See you on the courts.

Fall trip to Acadia: Information available at the Recreation Office, 863-6772. Rooms are filling fast.

Lakes & Streams Committee receives two state awards

At the 2010 Volunteer Lake Assessment Program's 25th Anniversary Celebration on May 15, the Eastman Lakes & Streams Committee, representing Eastman Pond, Grantham, received the Volunteer Limnologist Award and the Secchi Disk Award.

Since 2004, NH Dept. of Environmental Services has recognized at least one volunteer for dedication and commitment for volunteer lake monitoring. This award has been appropriately named the Volunteer Limnologist Award because each time a volunteer monitor collects a water sample from a lake or pond or conducts a Weed Watcher survey, the volunteer is performing the role of a true limnologist.

In addition, the Secchi Disk Award is given to the overall Volunteer Limnologist Award Winner of the Year, a person or group that truly stands on the "cutting edge" of volunteer monitoring.

The Eastman Community is proud of our Lakes & Streams Committee's commitment to water quality monitoring, education of watershed residents, advanced sampling, salt reduction efforts, and many other activities.

Mark you calendar now to help celebrate our lake and our Lakes & Streams Committee during Lake Appreciation Week at the end of July.

THIS WEEK AT EASTMAN

Mav 22 (Saturdav) Newcomers' Coffee - 9 a.m. at South Cove

The South Cove Advisory Committee is seeking suggestions for exhibits and displays for the lobby area at South Cove Activity Center. Please e-mail scac@eastmannh.org with your ideas.

Register now for Summer Youth Programs. Visit the Recreation web page for information and applications.

Notice to boat storage holders. If you rent boat racks, beach space or other storage areas, make sure your watercraft are stored in the appropriate places. If you have not paid your annual fee for your spaces, please remove your property immediately. Watercraft will be taken away and there is a fee to recover your boats. Also, please lock your boats to the storage area if possible and do not leave paddles, life jackets or other items with your boat. Items have been stolen and vandalized, and boats are "borrowed" when not locked up.

Email address changes: Please keep us informed when you change your email address. Use the "Update Profile/Email address" link at the bottom of this email.

Announcements: Send information about upcoming events or programs to calendar@eastmannh.org.

New to the members' area

Agenda for the May 18 Board meeting

QUICK LINKS

EASTMAN MEMBERS' AREA Username: our Password: eastman

EASTMAN CROSS COUNTRY

Activity Center. If you've lived in Eastman two years or fewer, come meet other newcomers, hear a bit about Eastman, and enjoy treats made by the Hospitality Committee. RSVP required to Lorie McClory at 863-4240.

May 26 (Wednesday) Woodland Walk - Carpool leaves at 8:30 a.m. from Alpine Vista parking area. Reney Forest, Grantham. We explore this Forest Society property in the heart of our town. Total distance ~3 miles, several hundred feet elevation gain. Easy to moderate. For information, contact walk leaders Andy & Ruth Eastman. 863-2312.

NEXT WEEK AT EASTMAN

May 28 (Friday) Games Luncheon - There will be no Games Luncheon. See you in the fall. Thank you to everyone who made this group a success!

May 29 (Saturday) Whitewater Rafting Day Trip to the Dryway on the Deerfield River. Six openings remain for adventurous souls to experience a great day of whitewater rafting. Zoar Outdoor will provide a full day of rafting that includes snacks and end of day BBQ back at the base camp. Don't delay; call Recreation at 863-6772 before these spots are gone!

May 29 (Saturday) Adult Potluck - 6 p.m. at South Cove Activity Center. The Keeneys will host but they need help. Call Recreation, 863-6772 to let us know what you plan on bringing. This is the last one until fall.

May 31 (Sunday) Season Opening Tennis Social - 3 p.m. at the lower ECA tennis courts. Meet and greet Eastman's tennis player an Gary Conklin, our tennis pro. Enjoy an afternoon of round-robin tennis followed by a BBQ at 5 p.m. Tennis tags are not required. Contact Recreation at 863-6772 to reserve a spot. \$12 a person.

June 1 (Tuesday) Greensward Social - There will be no Greensward Social until October.

June 2 (Wednesday) Woodland Walk - Carpool leaves at 8:30 a.m. from Alpine Vista parking area. Bradford Bog, Bradford, NH. We revisit this bog with rare vegetation, as well as the site of Bradford Springs Hotel. Total distance 2-3 miles, little elevation change. Easy. For more information contact Walk Leader Gale Schmidt, 863-1247.

COMING SOON

June 4 (Friday) **Eastman Shabbat Service -** 7 p.m. at South Cove Activity Center. Refreshments afterward. For more information, contact Eastman resident Roberta Chosed at rob549@aol.com.

June 6 (Sunday) Bike and Boat Demo Day - 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the South Cove Activity Center. Omer & Bob's of Lebanon and Alden's of Sunapee will be at the South Cove to display their more popular bikes and kayaks and give you the opportunity to demo any of them. Call Recreation at 863-6772 for more information.

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EASTMAN GOLF LINKS



GOVERNANCE

All are at South Cove Activity Center unless otherwise noted.

- May 21 (Fri.) Roads Committee 1:30 p.m.
- May 24 (Mon.) South Cove Advisory Committee 9:30 a.m.

Attention Summer Youth Program Campers



Sign up for Peppermint Patty's bag lunches (sandwich, snack, drink & dessert) Monday through Friday for only \$5 per day on days of your choice or \$25 for the week, which includes Friday's BBQ. A sign up sheet is included in your camp packet or pick one up at the Recreation front desk.

Volunteer opportunities

* The Environmental Control Committee (ECC) is looking for several ECA members to join the ECC as alternates so Eastman's natural environment is protected. If interested, please contact Terri at the ECA office, 863-4240 or terri@eastmannh.org, or ECC Chair Frank Furdyna, 863-0630 or fafskis@gmail.com.

*Volunteers are needed for the **8th Annual Splash, Mash and Dash Sprint Triathlon** being held Saturday, June 19. Help needed Friday with set-up, and before, during and after the event on Saturday. Contact Recreation for details or to volunteer, 863-6772.

* The Lake Conservation Corps is looking for Lake Conservation Crew Members to help with improvement projects in the Eastman Lake watershed this summer. Job description and applications on the Recreation web page and at the Recreation Office.



Spring Hours

Wed.-Sat.: 4:30-8:30 p.m. Sunday: 3:30 p.m.-7:30 p.m. Closed Monday and Tuesday

Every Wednesday:

2 salads, 2 dinners and 2 glasses of wine or beer for \$35. Entrees change weekly, so call 863-8000 to find out this week's menu.

UPCOMING EVENTS (open to the public)

June 4: Jason Cann in the Tavern, 6-9 p.m. Make reservations early as this acoutical guitarist and singer is popular throughout the Upper Valley.

June 17: Vegetarian Dining Club. Gourmet three-course dinner for \$25/person, includes tax and gratuity. Beverages additional. Contact Carol Moses at carolannmoses@comcast.net for