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Summer Traditions and Patriotic Legacies

by Esther J. Perne

Where water, woods and close communities are the fabric of the region; where outdoor recreation, appreciation of nature and a relaxed pace are the lifestyle of the summer; where independence, survival and self sufficiency drive local lifestyles, the 4th of July, the traditions of the day and the rewards of the long holiday weekend are the high point and the best part of summer.

Flags and music, parades and picnics, food, fun and family togetherness and all the rites of celebration will be widely available this July 4 in central Maine. These celebrations are family-oriented events, wholesome, safe, good fun, and a short destination drive. Most of the programs include children's activities and contests. The locations are near waterways, rivers, streams or lakes - reminders of the reasons to celebrate independence in this beautiful part of the world and reminders that it's possible to attend a 4th of July celebration and enjoy the recreation of the region, too.

And, for a finale, there will be fireworks. In 1776, early in the Revolutionary War, the United States declared its independence from England and celebrated with fireworks. The tradition continues...a celebration of independence, and a celebration of summer.



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Flutist, Emi Ferguson

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Flutist, Emi Ferguson has performed as concerto soloist in concerts and festivals around the world and was a featured performer alongside Yo-Yo Ma, Paul Simon, and James Taylor at the 10th Anniversary Memorial Ceremony of 9/11 at Ground Zero, where her performance of Amazing Grace was televised worldwide. Violinist Charles Yang has been described by the Boston Globe as one who "plays classical violin with the charisma of a rock star." Yang has performed as a soloist with prominent orchestras at Carnegie Hall and Lincoln Center's Metropolitan Opera House, as well as being featured in Nick Romeo's new book, Driven and on Discovery Channel's Curiosity. Vocalist Kara Dugan has been praised by the New York Times for her "vocal warmth and rich character and has performed in recitals and summer festivals nation wide and most recently with the New World Symphony premiering Four Preludes on Playthings of the Wind, composed and conducted by Michael Tilson Thomas. Pianist Peter Dugan was hailed "a formidable soloist" by the Washington Post after his Kennedy Center debut last season with baritone John Brancy. Equally at home in classical, jazz, and pop idioms, Dugan has appeared as a soloist throughout the United States and abroad including performances in Carnegie Hall, NY and the Wiener Konzerthaus in Vienna. Pianist Katherine Liu is a fifth grader living in Wellesley, Massachusetts. She started her musical journey at the age of 3 and in 2014 was the first place winner of both the Steinway Piano Competition and the Bay State Piano Competition.

Tickets are \$10/adult, \$5/child for indoor general admission seating. Reservations are strongly recommended as indoor seating is limited. To order tickets, email Dan Onion dkonion@gmail.com, or phone 293-2076. Guests are also encouraged to bring blankets or chairs and sit outside on the lawn to listen for free. Fireworks will follow the concert at 9:15pm. Concert to benefit the 30-Mile River Watershed Association and Parker Pond Association. FMI: <http://www.30mileriver.org/> or <http://www.parkerpond.org/>



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Alex Katz's "Ada Vane"
Installed at
Colby College



The latest in a series of important acquisitions for the Colby College Museum of Art is the installation of a 12.3-foot-tall steel wind vane with a dramatic female portrait.

The 2016 sculpture by Alex Katz - informally called the "Ada Vane" because it depicts the artist's wife, Ada, his muse of many decades - joins a series of outdoor art encircling the museum. Its location complements Sol LeWitt's concrete "Seven Walls" (2002) situated on the grassy slope nearby.

The Katz wind vane, made of porcelain-coated steel with a powder-coated base, is on the southeastern lawn of the museum along Mayflower Hill Drive. It is one in a series of six wind vanes by Katz, another of which will be installed in London's Hyde Park this summer in conjunction with Katz's exhibition at the Serpentine Galleries.

The museum's commitment to Katz's work is central to its mission. Most recently, in 2015, the museum presented "Brand New and Terrific: Alex Katz in the 1950s," a survey of the artist's early work. The exhibition will travel to the Cleveland Museum of Art in April 2017.

The "Ada Vane" is the most recent important gift. This spring the museum received 100 Pablo Picasso etchings known as the Vollard Suite, about half of which are currently on view.

Founded in 1959, the Colby College Museum of Art comprises five wings, more than 38,000 square feet and more than 8,000 works of art. Hours are Tuesday through Saturday, 10 am-5 pm and Sunday noon-5 pm. Admission is free. For information visit colby.edu/museum or call 859-5600.

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—The Luckiest Boy—

Memories of The Old Belgrade Lakes Library

by Rod Johnson

The quaint little library that you see in the photo once was alive and well right in the middle of Belgrade Lakes village. Sadly, it no longer exists and this is the true story of its demise. My parent's house was ten feet or so to the south with barely enough space to drive an auto between the two. My friends and I played around the building from the early 1950's, though it remained locked and we were not allowed inside. Peeking in the windows was common of course and the building was totally intact and still had a few books on the shelves. The straight back oak chairs and a library type desk or two were in perfect order. To my knowledge and memory the library was never operated during that era and had essentially been abandoned. This is only a guess, but I imagine it was only ever used in the summer months, though I do recall a small wood or coal stove and a fieldstone hearth and chimney.

As the years went by the building showed more and more lack of maintenance. During the 1960's I recall the roof had started to leak and water puddles could be seen through the windows accumulating on the floor. When I came home from my service time in 1971, my wife and I bought the house on the north side of the library property. My mother was still living in the house on the south side. It was clear that the building was an eyesore and the idea came to either fix it and make it usable or tear it down if we could. After inquiring at the selectmen's office as to the ownership, we were told that the property and building were donated by the Hersom sisters (founders of the Camp Abena girls camp), I do not know when. The women had stated in the deed that the property would revert to them or their heirs should the library cease operating. The selectmen decided to begin taxing the property so they could take ownership and then dispose of it. A tax was levied on the property that year to the Hersom heirs but none was found, so the tax was left unpaid. The town took the property and claimed it a liability. At town meeting in 1972 or 1973, I offered to purchase the property for the back taxes of \$26 (yes, twenty six dollars). The voters agreed, with the stipulation that the building be torn down and the small lot of 40' x 60' be attached to my lot. Over the next few months my friends and I tore it down piece by piece and



The old BLakes Library, now gone, sat on a small lot diagonally across from the lime house.

burned it in a bonfire right on site. The only known pieces that were saved are the two white pillars and they can be easily seen on the house owned by Jan Partridge just south of Day's store. I still have 2 of the oak chairs. We asked the Colby College library department to come see if any of the remaining books were special in any way. They found and took a few Maine authors but found that silverfish were in some of the books and couldn't risk contaminating another library.

The current group called Friends of The Belgrade Library are working on recording any information that can be collected about this library and also a precursor to this that was located in a private home of a Damren family member. If anyone has any remembrances, photos or written documents concerning this piece of our Belgrade history please contact my sister-in-law, Friends member Judy Johnson at 495-2101, or Linda McLoon of the Belgrade Historical Society. Thanks, TLB



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— Take It Outside —

Another Great Week in Paradise

by Pete Kallin

Another great week in paradise! I got to spend time fishing, hiking, and canoeing. Dick Greenan and I put his canoe into the Kennebec River in Waterville and fished for shad and stripers, which are both in the river right now. The shad are trying to spawn and the stripers are trying to catch the shad, American eels, and the alewives, all of which are also headed up the river right now. Fish were jumping everywhere and there were plenty of human and avian anglers trying to get in on the action, including lots of Bald eagles, Ospreys, and cormorants. We caught lots of big shad, a couple of small stripers, and an alewife. These anadromous fish (live in salt-water, spawn in freshwater) spend their lives swimming, usually upstream, and tend to be stronger and have more stamina than freshwater fish of the same size. They put up a real battle on light spinning gear or flyrods. The big smile on Dick's face in the pictures below not only reflects how much fun the fish were to catch but also the fact that he was able to get out into his canoe for the first time in two years after getting two new hips earlier this year and two new knees last year. It was fun to share his joy.

Shad are a large member of the herring family (*Alosa sapidissima*) that are extremely tasty (*sapidissima* is Latin for "most savory") but contain many fine bones. A few years ago, John McPhee wrote a book about shad called, "The Founding Fish," in which he made a strong case that there would be no United States of America without shad. In 1776, when George Washington's army was encamped at Valley Forge, the British occupied Philadelphia and



Cousins, Ellen Baker and Mark Paddock at the summit of Mount Phillip.



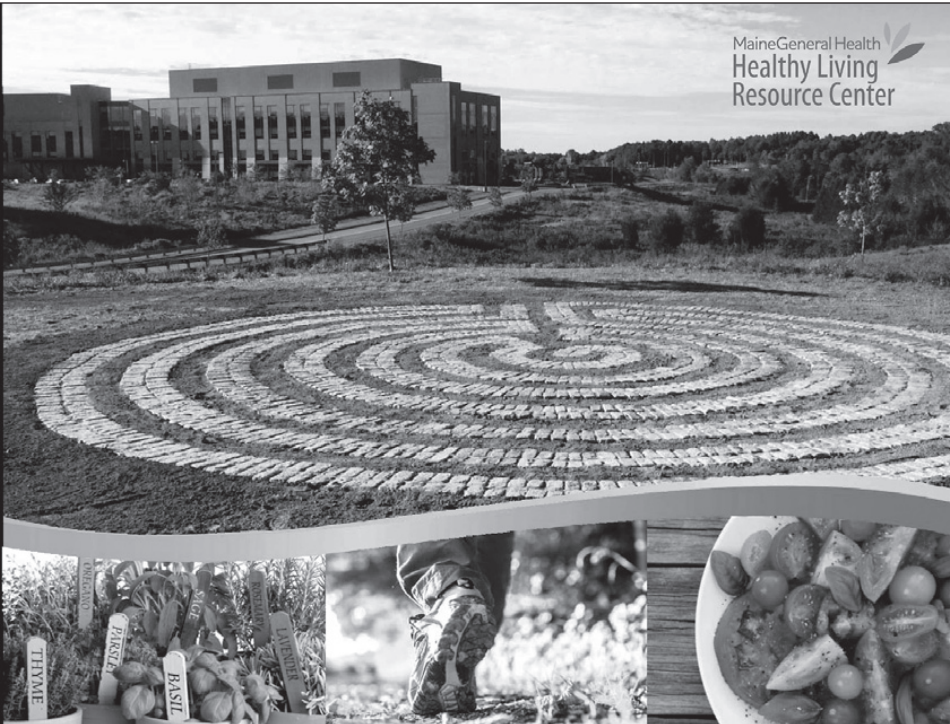
Kennebec River striper.

tried to starve the Colonial Army by shutting off the food imports from the city. The most significant source of food that got through to Valley Forge were barrels of Delaware River and Susquehanna River shad that provided sustenance for the army to build up their strength in order to row across the Delaware and attack Trenton on Christmas Eve. That was the turning point of the Revolutionary War.

I also hiked a couple of BRCA properties this week, including The Mountain and Mount Phillip. At Mount Phillip, I hiked with Mark Paddock of Farmington, whose family has a camp on the northern shore of Great Pond, and his cousin, Ellen Baker

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- **Farmers' Market at the Arboretum**, indoors, Friday 1-5 pm
- **Art in the Capitol**, Maine Arts Commission monthly self-guided exhibits in State House hallways (Mon-Fri 8 am-5 pm), Blaine House (call for times), and Maine Arts Commission Office (8:30am-4:30 pm), 287-6746, mainearts.maine.gov
- **Children's Discovery Museum**, CDM, hands-on displays, activities, Tuesday-Thursday 10 am-4 pm, Friday-Saturday 10 am-5 pm, Sunday 11 am-4 pm, admission, 622-2209, www.childrensdiscoverymuseum.org, 171 Capitol Street
- **Danforth Gallery**, Jewett Hall, art exhibits, UMA-1234, www.uma.edu
- **Governor's Mansion**, 1830 Blaine House, Tuesday-Thursday 2-4 pm, 287-2121, www.blainehouse.org, State Street
- **Holocaust and Human Rights Center of Maine**, Michael Klahr Center, Monday-Friday 8 am-4 pm, 621-3530, www.hhrc.uma.edu, University of Maine at Augusta, off Route 27
- **Kennebec Historical Society**, Wednesday-Friday 10 am-2 pm, 622-7718, www.kennebechistorical.org, 107 Winthrop Street
- **Maine State Museum**, Tuesday-Friday 9 am-5 pm, Saturday 10 am-4 pm, \$2 adults, \$1 ages 6-18, 287-2301, www.mainestatemuseum.org
- **Maine State House**, Hall of Flags, House and Senate Rooms, Klir Beck dioramas, Monday-Friday 8 am-5 pm, book tours at Maine State Museum, walk-ins welcome 9 am-1 pm, 287-5600, www.maine.gov, State Street
- **Maine State Library**, Monday-Saturday opens 9 am, 287-5600, www.maine.gov/msl/, State Street
- **Museum in the Streets**, walking/history tour, www.augusta-maine.gov, Water Street/downtown.
- **Old Fort Western**, 1754 fort, house, store, 1-4 pm daily, admission \$6, 4-14 years \$4, 626-2385, www.oldfortwestern.org, Cony Street
- **Riverfront Park**, boat launch, Greenway Trail, playground, eastside Kennebec River
- **Kennebec River Rail Trailhead**, Maine State Housing Authority parking lot, 623-8162, www.krrt.org, Water Street
- **University of Maine at Augusta Fitness Trail**, 2 miles of wooded trails, near Civic Center, Route 27
- **Farmers' Market at Mill Park**, Tuesday 2-6 pm, 626-2305, www.farmersmarketmillpark.org/, North Water Street
- **Farmers' Market at Turnpike Mall**, 549-5112, Wednesday and Saturday 10 am-1 pm, Western Avenue

BELGRADE LAKES

- **Belgrade Lakes Market**, 320-8303, careybor@yahoo.com, Sunday 8 am-1 pm, Main Street
- **Great Pond Mailboat**, 592-1537, Monday-Saturday 10 am,

Post Office, Main St.

- **The Belgrade Community Center for All Seasons**, pool and lakefront, gym, playground, picnic area, rec programs, 495-3481, www.belgrademaine.com, 1 Center Drive
- **Union Church Coffee House**, check for schedule, 7:30 pm, \$5, 495-3599, www.unionchurchmaine.org, Main Street
- **Belgrade Historical Society**, 495-2973, belgradehistoricalsociety.org
- **Belgrade Lakes Market**, Sun 8 am-1 pm, Main Street
- **Peninsula Park on Long Pond**, picnic tables, Main Street
- **Maine Lakes Resource Center**, 512-5150, www.maineakesresourcecenter.org, 137 Main Street

FAIRFIELD

- **Fairfield Historical Society**, 1890 Cotton-Smith History House, every Tuesday 9 am-12 noon and 1-4 pm and second Saturday of month, 453-2998, www.fairfieldmehistoricalociety.net, 42 High Street
- **Farmers' Market**, 948-5724, Wednesday 2-6 pm, Saturday 9:30 am-1:30 pm, Nazarene Church parking lot, 81 Main Street

FARMINGTON

- **Farmington Historical Society, Titcomb House Museum**, 778-4275, Wednesday and Saturday, 11 am-2 pm, July-August, www.farmingtonhistory.org, 118 Academy Street
- **Nordica Homestead Museum**, opera singer Lillian Nordica costumes, jewelry, mementos, 778-2042, Tuesday-Saturday 10 am-12 noon and 1-5 pm, Sunday 1-5 pm, www.lilliannordica.com, 116 Nordica Lane, Holley Road
- **Contra Dance**, 491-9928, www.starleft.org 2nd Saturday of the month, all welcome, 6:30-7:30 pm family dance, 8-11 pm regular dance, admission, Grange Hall, Bridge Street, Route 43, West Farmington
- **University of Maine campus and Arboretum**, four walking tours with informal guide pamphlet to campus trees, 581-1541, www.umaine.edu/arboretum/, downtown
- **Farmers' Market**, 778-6602, Friday 9 am-2 pm, Better Living Center parking lot, Front Street; Saturday 8 am-12 noon, Main Street
- **Meetinghouse Park and Gazebo**, weekly concerts throughout summer, downtown
- **Fairgrounds**, events throughout summer, Franklin County Fair in September, High Street

GARDINER

- **Artdogs and Circling the Square Fine Art Press**, Friday 1-5 pm, Saturday 10 am-4 pm, 582-6600, www.theartdogs.com, 275-277 Water Street
- **Johnson Hall Performing Arts Center**, 582-7144, www.johnsonhall.org 280 Water Street
- **Monkitree**, art exhibits, 512-4679, www.monkitree.com, Tuesday-Friday 10 am-6 pm, Saturday 12-6 pm, 263 Water Street
- **SpinOff Studio**, 588-7297, spinoffstudio.org, Monday-Friday 8:30 am-4:30 pm, 405 Water Street
- **Farmers' Market**, 512-8022, www.gardinerfarmersmarket.org, Wednesday 2-6 pm, rain or shine, The Common
- **Kennebec River Rail Trail**, 623-8162, www.krrt.org, access near Gardiner/Randolph Bridge, 6.5 miles to Augusta
- **Waterfront Park**, picnicking, events throughout summer, Kennebec River

GREENE

- **Araxine Wilkins Sawyer Memorial**, free entertainment programs, monthly - Friday 2 and 7 pm, 946-5311, www.sawyer-foundation.com, 371 Sawyer Road, off Route 202

HALLOWELL

- **Harlow Gallery**, Kennebec Valley Art Association, 622-3813, www.harlowgallery.org Wed- Sat, 12-6 pm, 160 Water Street
- **Gaslight Theater**, 626-3698, www.gaslighttheater.org City Hall, 1 Winthrop Street
- **Museum in the Streets**, history/walking tour, www.historichallowell.org, downtown
- **Farmers' Market**, 622-1350, Sun 3-6 pm, Water Street
- **Vaughn Woods and Homestead**, 166 acre park/trails/homestead, Middle Street
- **Kennebec River Rail Trail**, www.krrt.org, to Augusta, Farmingdale/Gardiner, Water Street
- **Waterfront Park**, deck/walkway on Kennebec River, North Water Street

HINCKLEY

- **L.C. Bates Museum at Good Will-Hinckley School**, early 20th century natural history and cultural exhibits, nature trails and camps, adults \$3, up to 17 years \$1, 238-4250, www.gwh.org Wednesday-Saturday 10 am-4:30 pm, Sunday 1-4:30 pm, Route 201

KINGFIELD

- **Ski Museum of Maine**, 265-2023, www.skimusuemofmaine.org, 256 Main Street
- **Stanley Museum**, 265-2729, www.stanleymuseum.org, memorabilia/displays on photographs, violins and Stanley Steamers, Tuesday-Sunday 1-4 pm, 40 School Street

LIVERMORE

- **Washburn-Norlands Living History Center**, 18th-19th century mansion/farmstead/schoolhouse, library, chapel, 897-4366, www.norlands.org, admission, living history tours Tuesday and Thursday 1-4 pm, 290 Norlands Road

MADISON

- **Lakewood Theater**, Maine's Summer Theater, Young Performers Camp, 474-7176, www.lakewoodtheater.org, Route 201
- **Skowhegan School of Painting and Sculpture**, 474-9345, www.skowheganart.org, summer evening artists lecture series, East Madison Road

MONMOUTH

- **Monmouth Museum**, local and regional Maine history, Wednesday-Sunday 1-4 pm, 933-2287, www.monmouthmuseum-inc.org, 751 Main Street
- **The Theater At Monmouth**, The Shakespeare Theater of Maine, Cumston Hall, 933-9999, www.theateratmonmouth.org, Main Street

MOUNT VERNON

- **D.E.W Animal Kingdom**, Zoo, 293-2837, 918 Pond Rd, Route 41
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- **Wire Bridge**, 1864, probably only wire suspension bridge in U.S., off Route 27

NEW SHARON

- **Farmers' Market**, Saturday 9 am-1 pm, Douin's Market, 491-9025, 150 Mercer Road, Routes 2/27
- **New Sharon Historical Society**, Saturday 1-3, 778-4167, Routes 2/27

NORRIDGEWOCK

- **Norridgewock Historical Society Museum**, 1838 building, Saturday 10 am-1 pm, 634-5032, www.norridgewockmuseum.com, Mercer Road, Route 2
- **Oosoola Park**, picnic area, great playground, boat launch, on Kennebec River, Route 8

OAKLAND

- **Macartney House Museum, Oakland Area Historical Society**, 465-7549, Wednesday 1:30-4:30 pm, 1815 home with antique furnishings and Oakland artifacts, 25 Main Street
- **Town Parks**, playground, picnic tables, swimming area, boat launch area, Belgrade Road on Lake Messalonskee and McGrath Pond Road on McGrath Lake
- **Farmer's Market**, Friday 2-6 pm, 465-3094, Pine Acres Parking Lot, 895 Kennedy Memorial Drive

READFIELD

- **Readfield Historical Society and Museum** in 1853 school-house, 685-4662, www.readfieldhistorical.org, Thursday and Saturday 10 am-2 pm or by appointment, Route 17, Readfield Depot

ROME

- **Mt. Philip Grange**, suppers 3rd Sat of month, 4:30-6 pm, all you can eat beans, cornbread, rolls, chop suey, pies, Routes 135/225
- **Trails**: Mount Philip, Route 225; The Mountain, Route 27; French's Mountain and Kennebec Highlands, Watson Pond Road; for information call 495-6039 or visit www.belgradelakes.org; maps available at BRCA, 137 Main Street, Belgrade Lakes

SIDNEY

- **New England Music Camp**, concerts free and open to the public, Bowl-in-the-Pines on Lake Messalonskee, 465-3025, www.nemusiccamp.com, 8 Goldenrod Lane, Route 23
- **Sidney Historical Society**, 724-8032, www.sidneyhistoricalociety.org, 2986 Middle Road
- **Silver Spur Riding Club**, horse shows, River Road, Route 104

SKOWHEGAN

- **Margaret Chase Smith Library**, residence, home, museum exhibits, 474-7133, www.mcslibrary.org, free, Monday-Friday, 10 am-4 pm, 54 Norridgewock Ave.
- **History House Museum**, 1800s local history and culture, heirloom gardens, free, Tuesday-Saturday, 10 am-4 pm, 474-6632, www.skowheganhistoryhouse.org, 66 Elm Street
- **Fairgrounds**, weekly horse shows/competitions, free public

events, covered arena, Skowhegan State Fair in August, 474-3621, Madison Avenue, Route 201

- **Farmers' Market**, Wednesday 3-6 pm, Saturday 9 am-1 pm, weekly entertainment, 938-3906, Somerset Gristmill parking lot, downtown

SMITHFIELD

- **Fairview Grange**, 362-2791, Route 8
- **Smithfield History Society "The Groves House,"** 634-4392, 21 Lakeview Drive
- **Sunbeam Roller Rink**, 362-4951, 830 Village Rd, Route 8
- **Sunset Camps**, public beach, 362-2611, www.sunsetcamps.com, 834 Village Road, Route 8

UNITY

- **Unity College Centre for the Performing Arts**, folk genre music, 568-3147, www.unitymaine.org, 42 Depot Street

WATERVILLE

- **Aqua City Actor's Theatre (ACAT)**, 873-7000, www.acattheatre.org, Waterville Opera House Studio Theater, Main Street
- **Museum in the Streets**, downtown history/walking tour, www.themuseuminthestreets.com/waterville.htm
- **Head of Falls Park/Two Cent Bridge**, historic foot bridge over Kennebec River connecting Waterville and Winslow, Front Street
- **Common Street Arts**, 872-2787, www.commonstreetarts.org, Wednesday-Saturday 12-6 pm, 16 Common Street
- **Colby College Museum of Art**, 859-5600, www.colby.edu/museum/ Tuesday-Saturday 10 am-5 pm, Sunday 12-5 pm, free admission, Colby College Campus, Mayflower Hill
- **Colby College Special Collections**, Miller Library, Monday-Friday 10 am-12 noon and 1-4 pm, free admission
- **Thomas College Art Gallery**, 180 West River Road
- **Waterville Historical Society and Redington Museum**, 1814 home and pharmacy, 872-9439, www.redingtonmuseum.org. Tuesday-Saturday tours at 10 and 11 am, 1 and 2 pm, 62 Silver Street
- **Waterville Opera House**, 873-7000, www.operahouse.com, 93 Main Street
- **Farmers' Market**, Thursday 2-6 pm, 680-2055, www.watervillefarmersmarket.org, The Concourse parking lot

WAYNE

- **Farmers' Market**, 685-4657, <http://waynefarmersmarket.weebly.com>, Saturday 9 am-noon, Town Green, at the Mill Pond, Main Street

WILTON

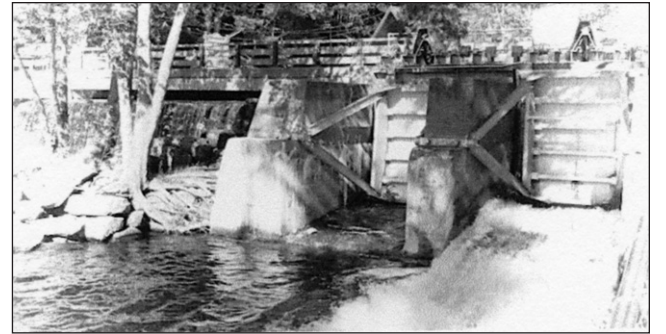
- **Wilton Farm & Home Museum**, 645-2091, 645-4578, www.thewiltonfarmandhomemuseum.org, Saturday 1-4 pm or by appointment, 10 Canal Street

WINSLOW

- **Fort Halifax on the Kennebec River**, historic fort tower, park, Route 201

WINTHROP

- **Norcross Park**, playground, picnic site, boat launch on Maranacook Lake
- **Farmers' Market**, 446-2899, Tuesday and Saturday 9 am-1 pm, town office parking lot, 17 Highland Avenue



The Dams Keeper Report

As of this writing the Belgrades just received a well-needed deluge of rain. Although it came down with a fury the rain gauge at the MLRC in the Village recorded just a 1/10" or so. Their Village Weather Station is a wonderful asset for the area and is easily accessible via: http://www.colby.edu/chemistry/Weather/Weather/MLRC_Weather.html.

Great Pond is just about 4" below full pond with Gate 1 open a meager 3" to give our residents and fisheries a little water to work while trying to retain the water levels that we already have. The warm temperatures and evaporation this week have really taken its toll on this large 8,533 acre pond.

Long Pond is presently right at full pond with both Wings Mill Gates completely closed. Let's hope that we do not have another dry summer like last year's.

Enjoy this beautiful summer and weather!

Dick Greenan

Secretary, Belgrade Lakes Watershed Dams Committee



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— Calendar —

Tuesday 6/28 through Friday 7/1 - Book & Bake Sale, select gently used hardcover and paperback books, rare and out of print titles, homemade bread, pies and cookies, 465-7533, Oakland Public Library, 18 Church Street, Oakland.

Wednesday 6/29 through Saturday 7/2 – “Always...Patsy Cline,” 474-7176, Lakewood Theater, Route 201, Madison.

Friday 7/1 - Market Square Melodies, 11 am-1 pm, Water Street, Augusta.

Friday 7/1 - Cheers To Verona, 5-5:45 pm, Johnson Park, Water Street; Lexi James, Johnson Hall's Free Summer Waterfront Concert, 6 pm, 582-7144, Waterfront Park, Gardiner.

Friday 7/1 - Free Student Recital, New England Music Camp, 7-9 pm, 476-6976, Alumni Hall, Sidney.

Friday 7/1 - Skowhegan School of Painting, Lectures Series, Peter Saul, visiting artist, 8:30 pm, 474-9345, Old Dominion Fresco Barn, 39 Art School Road, Madison.

Friday 7/1 and Saturday 7/2 - Haunted History Lantern Tour, admission, 380-3806, 7:30 pm, Hallowell.

Saturday 7/2 - Ecology Walk - How to Look and Explore, all ages, explore the ways to observe and look in the forest, 238-4250, L.C. Bates Museum, Route 201, Hinckley.

Saturday 7/2 - Puss In Boots, admission, 1 pm, 933-9999, Cumston Hall, The Theater At Monmouth.

Saturday 7/2 - Free Musical Performance, Bowl In The Pines, New England Music

Camp, 3 pm, 476-6976, Route 23, Sidney.

Saturday 7/2 - Atlantic Music Festival Orchestra, 7 pm, 1-888-704-1311, Lorimer Chapel, Colby College, Waterville.

Saturday 7/2 – Black Fly Follies, annual awesome variety show, 7:30 pm, 933-9999, Cumston Hall, the Theater at Monmouth.

Saturday 7/2 - WOH presents a concert featuring Viral Sound, Chromatropic and Merther, live painting by Ryan Kohler and Douglas Lakota and projections by Little Village, 8 pm, \$20, 873-7000, Waterville Opera House, Main Street, Waterville.

Sunday 7/3 – New England Music Camp Concert at “Bowl in the Pines,” 3 pm, open to public, free of charge, 465-3025, Route 23, Sidney.

Sunday 7/3 – 6th Annual Classical Meets Pop Concert, featuring NPR “From the Top” Alumni Musicians, donations accepted in support of the 30-Mile River Watershed Association and the Parker Pond Lake Association, \$10 adult, \$5 child for indoor seating, concert 7:30 pm, fireworks at 9:15 pm, Mount Vernon Community Center, Route 41, Mount Vernon.

Monday 7/4 - 14th Annual Friends on the 4th 5K - Run, Jog or Walk, sponsored by the Friends of the Cobbossee Watershed, the biggest race in central Maine, open to all, benefits programs and projects to protect and improve the 28-lake watershed, pre-register information at www.watershedfriends.com, day of race registration starts 7 am; Fireworks in Winthrop at dusk 621-4100, Norcross Point, Winthrop.

Monday 7/4 - Belgrade Lakes 4th of July: - activities, sales, food, voluntary toll booth starting at 8 am - book and bake sale 9 am-2 pm

- antique boat display
- boat parade at noon
- strawberry festival
- ice cream social 1:30-2:30 pm
- land parade at 4 pm
- frog jumping contest at 5 pm
- entertainment
- fireworks at 9:15 pm
495-3481, Belgrade Lakes Village.

Monday 7/4 - Capital City Riverfront Fourth:

- The 4th At the Fort, Old Time
- Independence
- Day Celebration 10 am-7:30 pm
- 4th of July Parade 4 pm
- “Emerald Sky” 5:15 pm
- “Veayo Twins” 7:30 pm
- Fireworks 9:15 pm
Activities, vendors, booths, Mill Park, 626-2350, downtown Augusta.

Monday 7/4 - Farmington Independence Day Celebration, Rotary Club Annual Parade, 10 am, activities in town following parade, 778-4215, Main Street, Farmington.

Monday 7/4 - Winslow Family 4th of July, featuring music, food, contests, bands, chemical free, large parade, Fireworks, www.winslow4thofjuly.com, Fort Halifax Park, Route 201, Winslow.

Tuesday 7/5 and Wednesday 7/6 - Ice Cream Social (on the water!), swing your boat over to the Friends of Messalonskee float for cold ice cream and beverages, 11 am-4 pm, in front of Snow Pond Center for the Arts/New England Music Camp, Lake Messalonskee.

Tuesday 7/5 – Rock on the River, band concert, 7-8:30 pm, Riverfront, Hallowell.

Tuesday 7/5 - Village Harmony Youth World Music Ensemble, teen singers from around the country, traditional songs and choral arrangements from around the

world, \$10 suggested, \$5 for students and seniors, 7:30 pm, 495-2928, Union Hall, Route 41, Vienna.

Wednesday 7/6 through Saturday 7/9 - 100th Anniversary Waterville Country Club, events daily, entertainment nightly, banquets, tournaments, \$19.16 guest greens fees all week, 465-2838 office, 465-9861 tee times, 465-7774 food reservations, Waterville Country Club, off Kennedy Memorial Drive, Oakland.

Wednesday 7/6 – Southside Cemetery “Southside Stone Stories” guided walking tour, sponsored by Skowhegan History House Museum, 474-6632, 10 am, meet at the cemetery entrance on Main Street, Skowhegan.

Wednesday 7/6 – Art Afternoon – diverse activities include watercolors, pencils, collage, and charcoal, 1 pm, 238-4250, L.C. Bates Museum, Route 201, Hinckley.

Wednesday 7/6 – Public supper, baked ham, vegetables, rolls, coffee or lemonade, homemade dessert, adults \$8, children under 10 \$4, 5 pm, Fairview Grange, Route 8, Smithfield.

Wednesday 7/6 - Ticks and Lyme Disease presentation, 6 pm, 495-3508, Belgrade Public Library, 124 Depot Road, Belgrade.

Wednesday 7/6 – Waterfront Wednesday, Sunset Concert Series, free event for the public, 6 pm, Waterfront Park, Augusta.

Wednesday 7/6 - Atlantic Music Festival Chamber Music recital, free, 7 pm, 1-888-704-1311, Lorimer Chapel, Colby College, Waterville.

Thursday 7/7 and Friday 7/8 - “Love's Labours Lost,” by William Shakespeare, 933-9999, Cumston Hall, The Theater at Monmouth.



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when her son started school. She was part of a landscape group and participated in workshops from Alaska to Cape Cod. Monotype, she said, has given her the opportunity to test her limits.

"The variety of tools – anything from brushes to rollers to palette knives -- can be used to ink the plates. Any number of materials can create forms and shapes from paper cut outs, string, rug liners and on and on," Warren said. "Marks in the ink can be created with Q-tips, combs, fingers. The image once pulled can be altered on the paper with pencil, crayon, collaged elements."

Webber, who sells real estate with her husband, operated the Minnehonk Gallery from 1993 to 2006 and then reopened it again in 2015 for Flying Bear Prints. She grew up in Wilton, Maine, graduated from Colby College, and ultimately settled in Mount Vernon where she met her husband, and the couple raised their two sons.

Webber has been fascinated with printmaking since the 1980s and attended workshops at the Round Top Art Center and Midcoast Printmakers in Damariscotta as well as the Great River Art Institute in Vermont.

"I experiment with collagraphs, gel plates, collage, and other methods to make one-of-a-kind works. One print may involve a number of layers, always a surprise in the final outcome," Webber said. "I have been influenced by abstract Japanese printmaker Hideo Hagiwara, and poetic artist Paul Klee, among others. I try to make each print, like a poem, speak from the heart. Moods, rhythm, color and structure all play a part in my work."

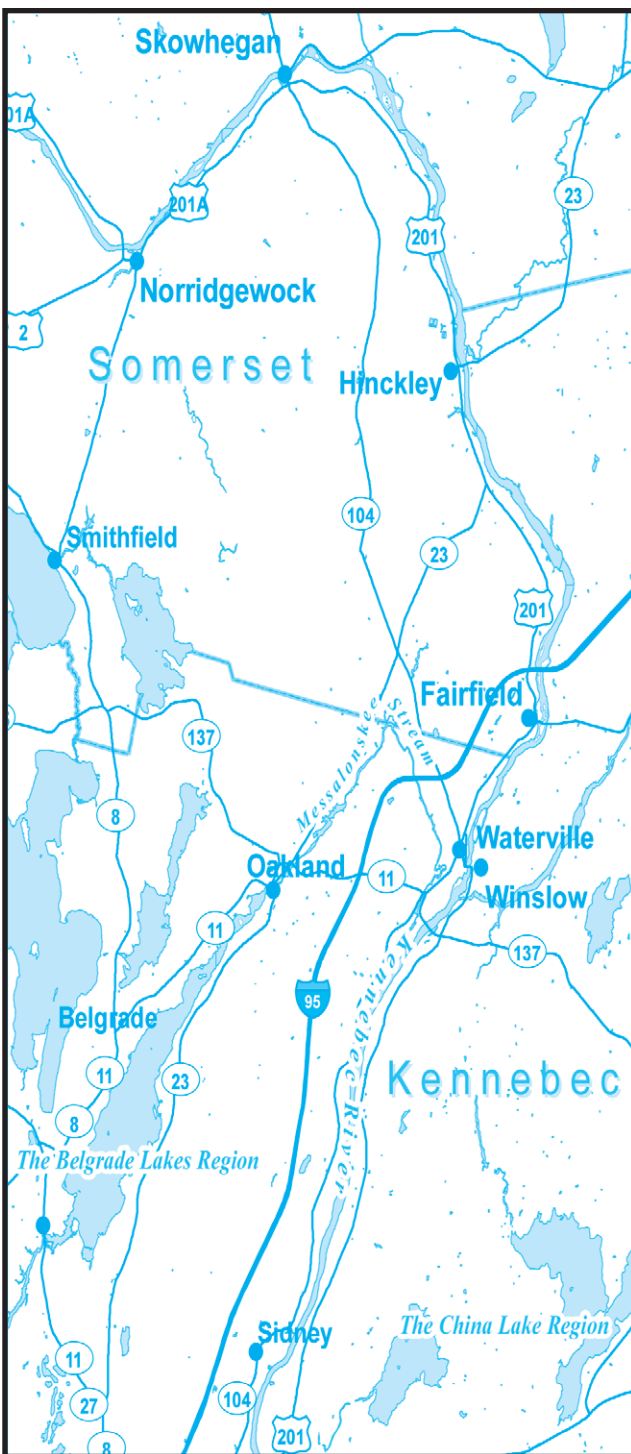
Krischik-Brinton grew up in the Ruhr Valley in Germany and worked in Switzerland in her 20s as a writer and editor in the headquarters of the Rudolf Steiner movement, inspired by the Austrian philosopher, author and social reformer.

She met her husband while doing an interview and ended up following him to the states, ultimately coming to Mount Vernon

While in Switzerland she had taken painting classes, but said it's when she finally came to Maine that she started taking her art more seriously. Her work has been shown in Portland, Hallowell, Milbridge and Rockport.

In recent years, her interests shifted from

Kennebec Corridor



acrylic painting to monotype printmaking.

"I love working with translucence and multiple layers, and printmaking has proven to be an excellent medium for it," she said. "Art for me is all about abstract shapes and how they relate to each other. I am fascinated by the edges and contours which manifest when I pull a print. It is something I've always wanted to create in painting. It comes so naturally in printmaking."

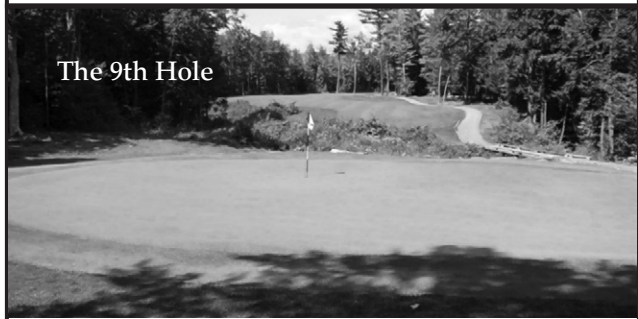


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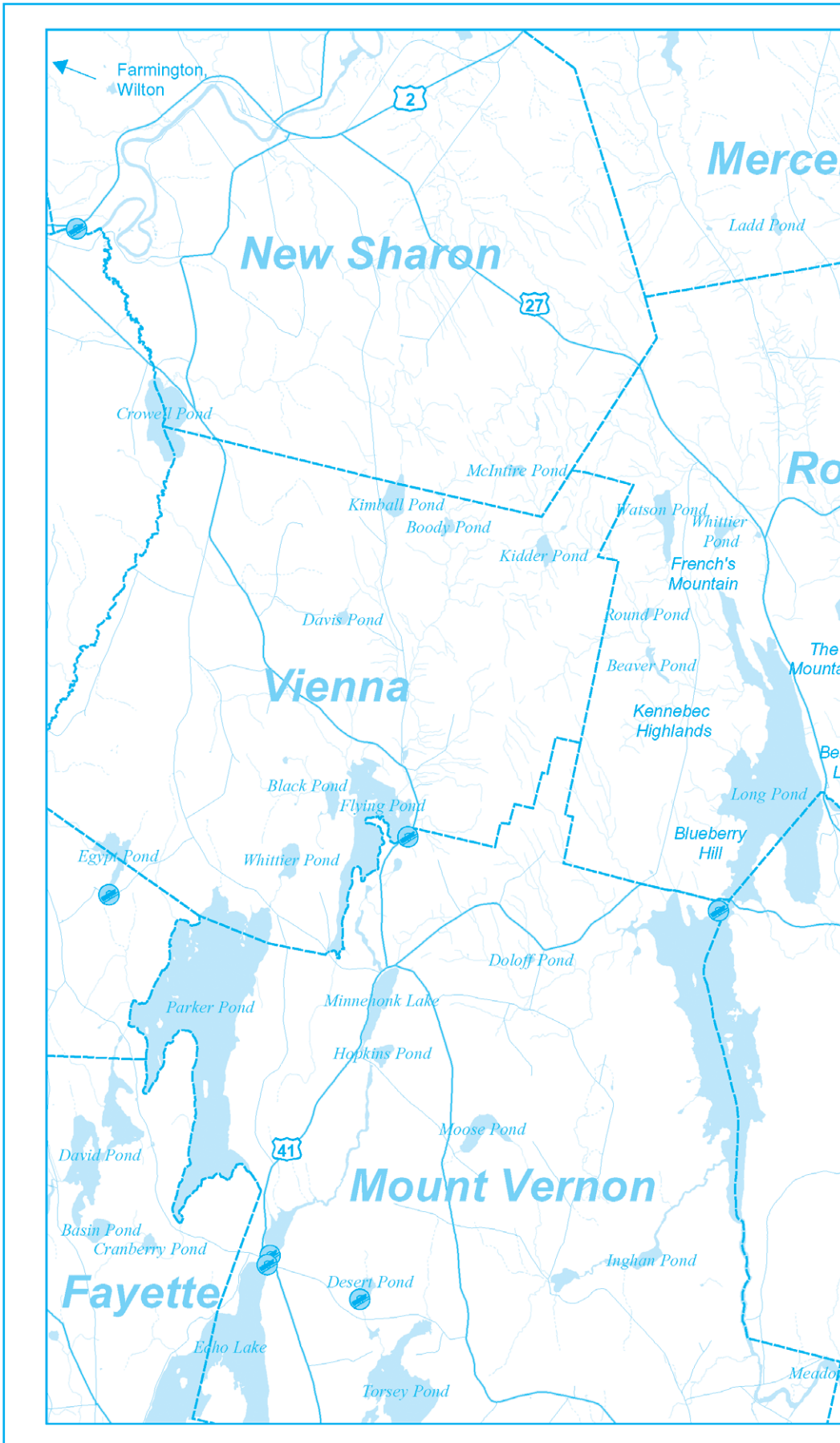
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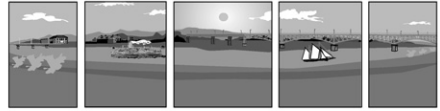
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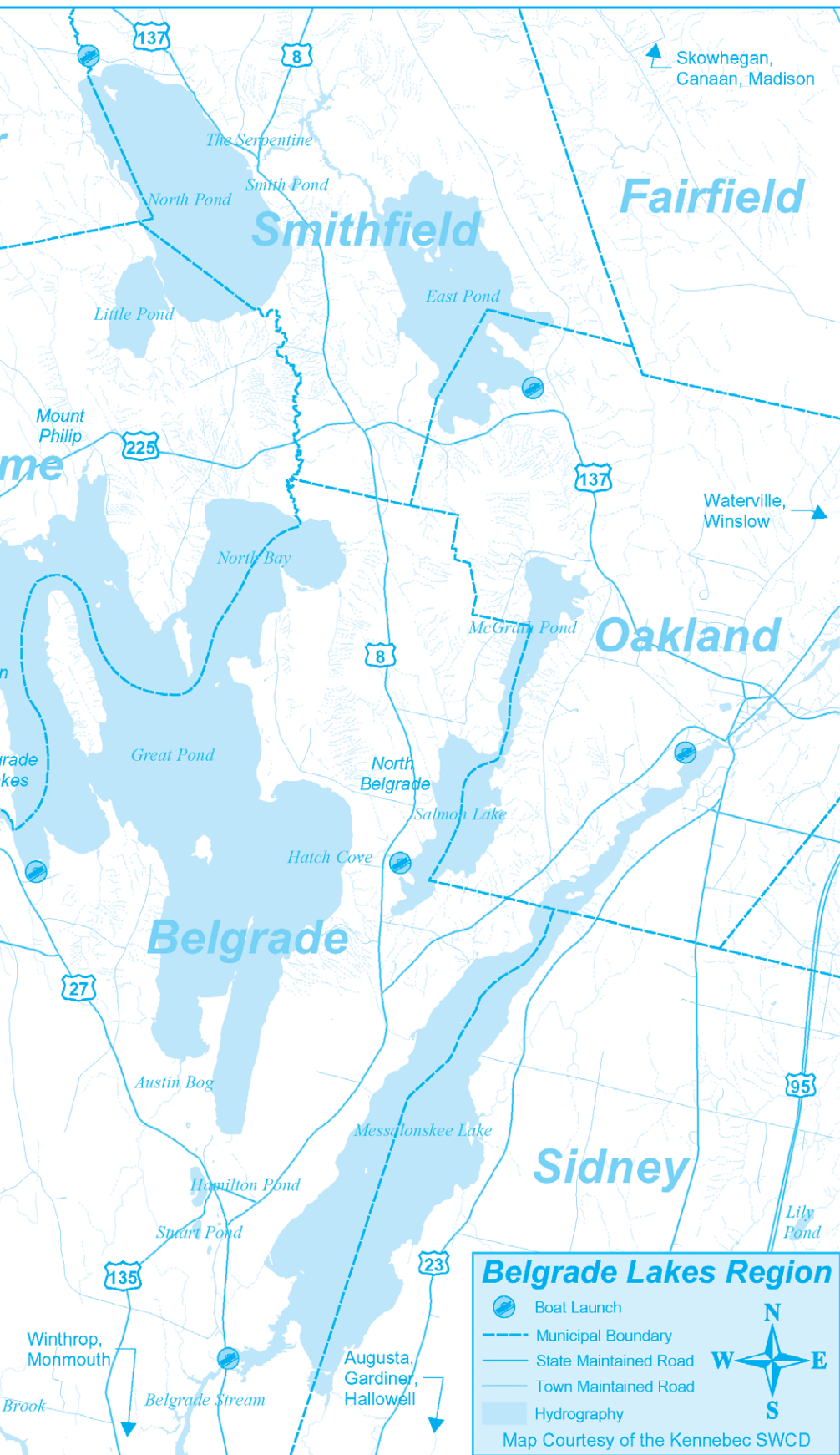


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- The Kennebec Valley Chamber of Commerce 20th Annual Golf Tournament to benefit the Kennebec Leadership Institute will be held on Monday, July 11 at the Augusta Country Club with a 10 am shotgun start. 623-4559
- The first of 3 two-day Summer Seminars for educators and life-long learners at the Michael Klahr Center, University of Maine at Augusta, is scheduled for Monday and Tuesday, July 11 and 12. 621-3532
- The Oakland-Sidney United Methodist Church will hold its annual July Turkey Supper on Wednesday, July 13, 5-7 pm, West School Street, Oakland.
- Old Hallowell Day 2016 is Saturday, July 16 in downtown historic Hallowell.
- The Mt. Philip Grange July Monthly Bean Supper will be Saturday, July 16, 4:30-6 pm, Route 25, Rome.

- Winterberry Farm in Belgrade will host a summer evening celebration of local food and fun on Sunday, July 17 at 5 pm. Advance tickets are required. 649-3331.
- "The Lakes of Belgrade as a Tourist Destination" will be presented by Linda Snow McLoon on Thursday, July 21, 7:30 pm at the Maine Lakes Resource Center during the monthly meeting of the Belgrade Historical Society. 495-2310
- On Friday, July 22, the Max Ater Band will perform at 2 and 7 pm free at the air-conditioned Araxine Wilkins Sawyer Foundation in Greene. 946-5311
- The dates for the Farmington Summer Fest are Friday, July 22 and Saturday, July 23. Activities include the Great Float Race, a Talent Show, a Bed Race and more. 491-5533
- The Chewonki Traveling Natural History Program "Animal Fitness" children's show will be held on Tuesday, July 28, 10-11 am at the Belgrade Community Center for All Seasons. 495-3508
- The North Pond Association Annual Meeting and Social is Saturday, July 30. www.NorthPond.net 362-5533
- AUGUST**
- Skowhegan River Fest celebrating recreation and life on the Kennebec River will be held August 2-6. Activities include a glow stick river run, duck derby, raft rides, live music, classic cars, dunk tank, beer garden, lobster bake and more. 612-2571, 474-7775

- Saturday, August 6 is Loon Calling and Bean Hole Beans in Belgrade Lakes. The Bean Hole Bean Supper will be 5-7 pm at the Belgrade Community Center for All Seasons. The annual Loon Calling Contest signup starts at 6:45 pm at the Belgrade Lakes/Rome bridge in the Village.
- The Belgrade Lakeside Artisan Show will be on Sunday, August 7, 9 am-3 pm at the Belgrade Community Center for All Seasons, Belgrade Lakes. 495-3481
- December '63, Frankie Valli & The Four Seasons Tribute Concert will be held on Thursday, August 25 at the Bowl In The Pines, New England Music Camp, Sidney. 1-844-476-6076
- The Windsor Fair, crafts, agricultural exhibits, midway, animal pull events, harness racing and more will run from August 28-September 5. www.windsorfair.com

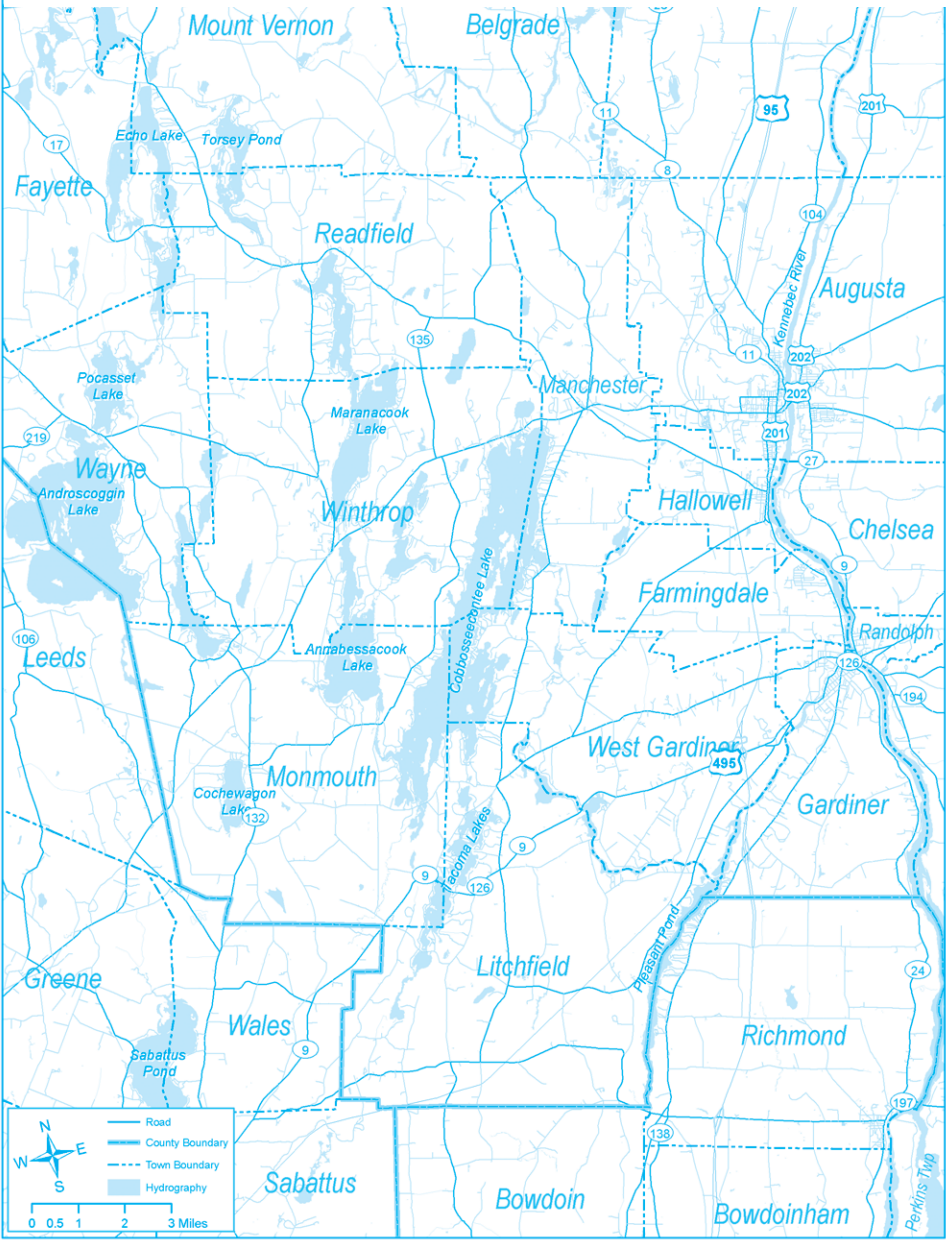
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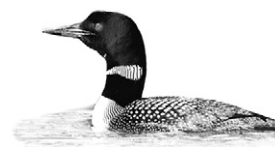
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offering \$500.00 for a Grand Slam Catch. In the children's section, Trophies will be awarded for the first three places in each category.

Lakes included in this Derby include Salmon Lake, McGrath Pond, East Pond, North Pond, Great Pond, Long Pond and Messalonskee Lake.

The weigh-in station will be at Memorial Hall on Church St. in Oakland from 10 AM-12 PM and 3 PM-5 PM Sunday, July 17th. Fishing is from 5 AM-4 PM.

Proceeds from the Derby will benefit Water Quality and Invasive Species issues in our Watershed. Additionally, Friends of Messalonskee was awarded a Maine Land Conservation Grant from the Maine Community Foundation to also help protect Messalonskee Lake. These organizations, local volunteerism and other efforts form the basis for all of our work in Maine water bodies!! Participate where and when you can to help out! Entry forms can be found at the Oakland Town Office, Sidney Town Office, Belgrade Town Office and at various local stores. You can also visit www.friendsofmessalonskee.com or www.oakfestmaine.com to register or call 207-465-8333. Derby Rules are posted on our website along with all of our other events!

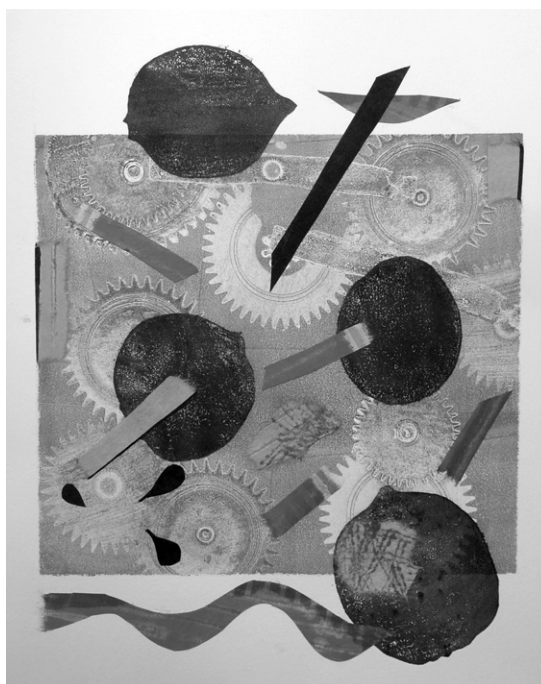
High Spirited Art on Display in Mount Vernon Village

Three accomplished women artists, who took very different paths to make the lakeside town of Mount Vernon their home, have created an art collaborative producing some of the most high-spirited monotype prints in the region.

Their styles, like their backgrounds, are very different. What they all share is the love of monotype printmaking – where the artist puts paint or ink on a glass or metal plate and then applies it to paper on an etching press, creating a one-of-a-kind textured print.

The three – Ann Warren, Jan Webber and Judith Krischik-Brinton – work together in Warren's renovated barn turned studio under the name of "Flying Bear Prints", a nod to the bear sculpture outside the studio window. (The bear, created by Dennis Pinette, was part of the Belfast Bearfest.)

They will show their prints this summer in Webber's Minnehonk Gallery in Mount Vernon's village center on the shores of Minnehonk Lake.



Jan Webber - Lime Machine

The show opens on July 1, and the gallery will be open Thursday through Saturday, from 10 am to 4

pm, until Labor Day.

The village center is a nexus of summertime activity in this community that was once part of the back-to-the land movement. In addition to the gallery, which is attached to the Webber Real Estate office, are two antique shops, The Olde Post Office Café, a fine arts furniture maker, country store and Mount Vernon Community Center – which hosts community breakfasts every week.

Warren was born in Bangor and graduated from Mount Holyoke College. Before moving to Mount Vernon in 1999, she and her husband lived in New York, and she returned to painting

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Central Maine Heritage Council

• Explore Central Maine's Heritage this summer. "Picturing the Past Through Photographs" includes displays in eight area museums, historical associations and libraries that focus on photo displays of agriculture, industry, fashion, lifestyles and community scenes. Participants, who will be offering special themes, receptions and presentations, include Skowhegan History House 474-6632, L.C.Bates Museum 238-4250, Taconnet Falls Genealogy Library 465-7458, Fairfield Historical Society 453-2998, Margaret Chase Smith Library 474-7133, Norridgewock Historical Society 634-5032, Oakland Historical Society 649-4942, Fairfield Victor Grange 49 453-9476.

North Pond Workshop: Are You Buff Enough?

• The North Pond Association will again offer its popular LakeSmart-er Workshop on managing property to prevent runoff, which leads to phosphorus pollution (green slime). In the July 9 workshop, Nathan Durant, Belgrade Regional Conservation Alliance Youth Conservation Corps Director, will explain and demonstrate some Best Management Practices utilizing the NPA display at Fairview Grange #342 in Smithfield. Participants become eligible for money back on any work done to buff up their property. Simply sign up for a free site visit no matter where you live in the watershed. Everyone is welcome to join the 9 am workshop. 362-1009

VLMP Annual Lake Monitoring Conference

• The 2016 Volunteer Lake Monitoring Program Annual Lake Monitoring Conference will take place on Saturday, July 30 at the historic lake lodge of The Great Outdoors on Pleasant Pond in Turner. The program will focus on the many ways in which Maine's citizen lake scientists have contributed to the stewardship of their lakes for 45 years, including survey results, a video about a collaborative lake stewardship project, a report from a seasoned Invasive Plant Patrol team leader, and a discussion of an emerging threat to the health of Maine's lakes.

Registration is free for all VLMP certified lake monitors. 783-7733

Augusta

• Enjoy local entertainment favorites, a children's program, a chicken BBQ, a traditional baked bean supper and fireworks both nights at Le Festival de la Bastille. Scheduled for Friday and Saturday, July 8 and 9 at Pete Gagne Field on the Old Belgrade Road, the event is a celebration of the area's rich French heritage. Friday night's entertainment will include Jean-Guy Piche et La Tournée du Bonheur and C.J. Chenier & the Red Hot Louisiana Band; Saturday will feature La Releve Beauceronne avec Louise Mailhot. 592-5001

Belgrade

• "Ticks and Lyme Disease" will be presented on Wednesday, July 6, 6-8 pm, at the Belgrade Public Library on Depot Road to address tick bites and health issues. According to the Maine Center for Disease Control and Prevention more than 1,000 Lyme disease cases have been reported annually in Maine since 2011 - five times the number reported a decade ago. In 2013, Maine set a record with 1,376 cases of the bacterial infection, which is spread in the Northeast by deer tick bites. Learn more about the various ticks found throughout Maine's wooded areas and the health issues they may present. Discover ways to avoid exposure and what to look for if you are exposed. 495-3508

Waterville

• The Waterville Country Club welcomes everyone in the community to enjoy the beautiful golf course and restaurant and join one or all of the events that are planned for its 100th Anniversary Celebration, Wednesday-Saturday, July 6-9.

- Wednesday, July 6: "Old 9" Tournament; WCC Trivia Night at the Club House 6:30-8 pm
- Thursday, July 7: OPEN HOUSE!, tours of the course, club and pro shop, Lobster & Clam Bake \$19.16 per person (purchase tickets in the Restaurant); happy hour 5 pm, dinner 6 pm.
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be held each Wednesday and Friday evening (six performances); on Saturday, July 9; Sunday, July 17, 2:00 p.m.; and Thursday, July 14, 3:30 p.m. The two afternoon concerts will take place in the lobby of the Colby Art Museum — the others will all be at 7:00 p.m. in the Chapel — and the July 14 and 15 recitals will feature the Cassatt String Quartet, who have also appeared at the past two festivals.

Thursday evenings will be devoted to vocal music. The first Thursday's program will be art songs; one week later, it will be opera arias. On the final Thursday, July 21, members of the AMF Opera Workshop will present full opera scenes on stage with costumes, props, set pieces. This last performance will take in Strider Theater in Runnalls Union.

On Saturday afternoons in the Chapel, one will get to hear new music by participants in the AMF Composition Program. These musical matinees will take place at 3:00 on July 9, 16, and 23.

On Sundays, July 10 and 17, at 7:00, AMF will hold Salon @ The Bar concerts at the Marchese Blue Light Pub in Cotter Union. These informal

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Other performances during the festival will include piano recitals on Tuesday, July 12, and Monday, July 18, and a Future Music Lab, on Thursday, July 21, at 3:30 in the art museum lobby. For the latter performance, musicians use "interactive computer technology" to augment performances on traditional instruments.

Unlike at most concerts, attendees at AMF performances are encouraged to bring their Smartphones to see which works are being performed and read the program notes. (Please turn off the ringer and please don't make or take any calls during the performance!) A few printed copies of the program will be available.

Except where otherwise noted, concerts will be held in Lorimer Chapel and will start at 7:00. The schedule is subject to change and more performances may be added. For the latest information, visit the AMF website, www.atlanticmusicfestival.org, or call the festival office at 888-704-1311.



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Sprague & Curtis Real Estate, 75 Western Avenue, Augusta, 623-1123, www.spragueandcurtis.com

LODGING RESERVATIONS

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RESTAURANTS

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RETIREMENT COMMUNITIES

Granite Hill Estates, 60 Balsam Drive, Hallowell, 626-7786, 1-888-321-1119, www.granitehillestates.com

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Crooked Island Sailing, lessons, rentals, deliveries, Peter McManus, Belgrade Lakes, 495-9066,

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St. Michael School, grades pre-K 3-year-old through 8th, 56 Sewell Street, Augusta, 623-3491, www.smsmaine.org

Snow Pond Arts Academy, 8 Goldenrod Lane, Sidney, 844-476-6976, www.snowpond.org

SECURITY SYSTEMS

Cayer Security Services, Inc, 208 College Avenue, Waterville, 453-9177, www.cayersecurity.com

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Maple Leaf Self Storage, 688 Manchester Road., Route 135, Belgrade, 495-2191

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- **East Pond Association**, Smithfield/Oakland, www.eastpond.org
- **North Pond Association**, Smithfield/Rome/Mercer, www.northpond.net
- **McGrath Pond/Salmon Lake Association (MPSL)**, Belgrade/Oakland, P.O. Box 2800, Oakland, 04963, 873-5285, www.mcgrathpond-salmonlake.org
- **Belgrade Lakes Association (BLA) for Great Pond and Long Pond**, Belgrade/Rome/Mount Vernon, PO Box 551, 137 Main Street, Belgrade Lakes, 04918, 512-5150, www.belgradelakesassociation.org
- **Friends of Messalonskee**, Oakland/Belgrade/Sidney, PO Box 532, Oakland, 04963, 465-4622, www.friendsofmessalonskee.com
- **Belgrade Regional Conservation Alliance and BRCA Conservation Corps**, PO Box 250, 137 Main Street, Belgrade Lakes, 04918, 495-6039, www.belgradelakes.org
- **Belgrade Lakes Region Business Group (BLRBG)**, PO Box 596, Belgrade Lakes, 04918, 495-3700, www.belgradelakesmaine.com
- **Maine Lakes Resource Center/Docks to Doorways**, PO Box 431, 137 Main Street, Belgrade Lakes, 04918, 495-3617, 620-6029, www.mainelakesresourcecenter.org

BEYOND...

- **Friends of the Cobbossee Watershed**, PO Box 5003, Augusta, 04332-5003, 621-4100, www.watershed-friends.com
- **Franklin County Soil & Water Conservation District**, 107 Park Street, Farmington 04938, 778-4279, www.franklincswcd.org
- **Kennebec County Soil & Water Conservation District**, 21 Enterprise Drive, Augusta 04330, 622-7847, ext. 3, www.kcswcd.org
- **Somerset County Soil & Water Conservation District**, 12 High Street, Skowhegan 04976, 474-8324, www.somersetswcd.org
- **Kennebec Land Trust (KLT)**, PO Box 261, 331 Main Street, Winthrop, 04364, 377-2848, www.tkl.org
- **Kennebec Messalonskee Trails**, PO Box 2388, Waterville, 04903, 873-6443, www.kmtrails.org
- **Kennebec River Rail Trail**, PO Box 2195, Augusta, 04338, 623-8162, www.krrt.org
- **30 Mile River Watershed Association (30 MRWA)**, Kimball Pond in Vienna to the Androscoggin River, PO Box 132, Mt Vernon, 04352, 685-4956, www.30mileriver.org
- **Maine Lakes Society**, formerly Congress of Lake Associations, PO Box 447, 137 Main Street, Belgrade Lakes, 04918, 1-855-463-2652
- **Central Maine chapter of the New England Mountain Bike Association (CeMeNEMBA)**, 441-6227, www.cemenemba.org





Expressions

Atlantic Music Festival Offers Free Classical Concerts

by Grgor Smith



AMF Orchestra

The Atlantic Music Festival will launch its eighth season on Saturday, July 2, with renditions by the AMF Orchestra of Ravel's Mother Goose Suite and Mozart's final symphony, # 41 ("Jupiter"). Conducted by Maestro David Amado, music director of the Delaware Symphony and an AMF favorite, this free concert will, like the majority of AMF performances, take place in Colby College's Lorimer Chapel and will begin at 7:00. The orchestra will also perform on

July 16 and July 23.

After that first orchestral concert, the next scheduled performance will be a chamber music recital on Wednesday, July 6. From that point on, there will be a concert or recital nearly every evening — and some afternoons too — through Saturday, July 23. There will be around two dozen performances during the festival, all at Colby College and all with free admission.

The performers are drawn from the 160 to 170



AMF Singers

students and fellows, mostly in their 20s, and the 35 to 40 faculty members at the AMF Institute, which runs from June 27 to July 24. This year, roughly three quarters of the participants will come from the United States and the rest from other countries, mainly Taiwan, South Korea, and China.

The chamber concerts will feature a variety of works performed by duos, trios, and other small instrumental ensembles. Chamber concerts will

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This Week's LakeSmart Tip

SHORE LINE BUFFERS



Buffer

A vegetative buffer (trees, shrubs, groundcover, duff) at least 10 feet deep across the shoreline catches sediment, pollution, and breaks up raindrops. Root systems hold soil in place. Many varieties of native plants can be used that do not block the view but afford privacy and noise control.

Lawns, however, are unfriendly to water quality and native habitat. The shallow mats speed phosphorus, nitrogen and fertilizers into the lake. Reducing the size of lawns for recreation and relaxation reduces the carbon footprint of machinery used to maintain lawns.

For a free labor contact: Nathan Durant, Youth Conservation Corps Director, brcacc@mainelakes.org
Logan Parker, LAKESMART Coordinator, lparker.mainelakes@gmail.com
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MONMOUTH-COBBOSEEE LAKE — Cottage with 105' of frontage at South end of Lake. Year round access, dug well, shed & outhouse. 2BR, kitchen open to LR and back porch facing the Lake. Cozy woodstove in LR. Lovely level lot! **MLS 1252371 \$134,900**



WEST GARDINER-COBBOSEEE LAKE — Sits at water's edge, excellent frontage, dock, great swimming, gorgeous lake views. Flat lot, paved public road. Unique Cobbossee home. Over 6,000 SF w/owner's 3,000 SF 3-4BR home, & a spacious 2BR 1st floor rental apt. Plus, a 1,500 SF unfinished 2nd floor area. Lg single family or a home w/rental income. Easy year round access. **MLS 1252006 \$339,000**



NEW LISTING-NEW SHARON-INCREDIBLE MOUNTAIN VIEWS — Lots of privacy, very secluded!! Only 3 yrs old, open concept, pretty birch kitchen, hickory hardwood flrs, MBR w/ceramic shower, balcony, BBHW & pellet stove, high cathedral ceilings, 2BR (could be 3rd in bsmt) 2 full BA, 2 car grg, attractive rustic interior/exterior, walkout bsmt. Great views, lots of wildlife. **SPECIAL AND UNIQUE! MLS 1270596 \$255,000**



READFIELD — Beautiful 3-4 bedroom Readfield home with shared Maranacook Lake access/beach. Nice layout, LR w/fireplace, formal DR, some hardwood floors, 1st floor den/office, lovely breezeway FR w/sky-lights & glass doors to back deck, 2 car w/overhead storage. Lots to offer, a wonderful home. **MLS 1219174 \$229,000**



WINTHROP-COBBOSEEE LAKE — 4 BR, 3.5 BA home. Approx. 3,900 SF, open and airy, lg 4 ac lot. Southern exposure, gentle beach water frontage. Gorgeous custom Cherry kitchen, oversized 1st floor master BR suite, LR w/cathedral ceiling, walk out daylight rec room w/ bar and bath. 4 car garage, much more! Paved road. **MLS 1253313 \$633,000**



CAUGUSTA-TOGUS POND — Lg 3-4BR Cottage w/nice water views. Over 1,600 SF of living area, fireplace, woodstove & monitor heater, newer vinyl windows, metal roof, gentle and close access to water, docks, garage, well maintained. Includes an island and land across road- 3 parcels total. Seller to replace kitchen sink & garage roof. **MLS 1268396 \$189,900**



READFIELD-TORSEY POND — Like new, 4BR, 2BA Colonial w/private setting. Complete privacy! You see nothing but the waterfront! Year round home with woodstove in the LR, HW floors, beautiful knotty pine sun room overlooking the water, deck, 1 car garage and dock. **PRICED TO SELL! MLS 1269200 \$249,900**



AUGUSTA — Great opportunity to own a versatile property. Originally had dance studio in finished basement that has high ceilings & hardwood floors, includes FR, BR w/2 large closets, BR, kitchenette, laundry & direct access to yard. Could be an in-law suite, daycare, dance studio, small business, etc. Landscaped fenced backyard w/patio, shed, apple trees & raised beds. Walking distance to 2 schools. **MLS 1263684 \$149,900**



Business

Tree Spirits Absinthe Verte is Best of Maine

Tree Spirits winery and distillery received the 2016 Down East magazine Editors' Choice award for Best Spirit for its absinthe verte. Using locally sourced apple cider, pear cider and maple syrup, Tree Spirits' wines and distilled apple, pear and maple spirits have been winning awards in international competitions since 2011 in New York and San Francisco. In 2014 it won the New York International Spirits Competition's Maine distiller award and in 2015 received a bronze medal for its absinthe. While it's



been legal to make in the US since 2007, only a handful of distilleries are making the spirit, most of them small, boutique operations. Tree Spirits is the only producer of absinthe in New England. Tree Spirits is owned by Bruce Olson and Karen Heck, the former mayor of Waterville.

Tree Spirits winery and distillery, retail store and tasting room are located at 152 Fairfield Street in Oakland. Private group tastings and tours are available. Visit www.treespiritsofmaine.com or call 861-2723 for hours open and schedule of tastings.

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of Minneapolis, MN. Ellen stopped by to hike for a bit after spending a week at Maine Audubon's Hog Island Camp in Bremen, Maine. She was very excited about all the new species she added to her "Life List" while visiting the Maine coast and equally excited by the Scarlet tanagers, Hermit thrushes, Bald Eagles, Turkey vultures, Pileated woodpeckers, Pine siskins, Veerys, and vireos that she saw and heard on Mount Phillip while we were hiking. This area has a wide diversity of bird species and is prominently featured in "The Maine Birding Trail" by Bob Duchesne.

This is a perfect time to enjoy the outdoors before

it gets too warm. Now that school's out, it's easy to take a kid fishing or on a hike, or paddling in a canoe. You won't be sorry.



Left: Anadromous alewife that took a small fly.
Above: Dick Greenan with a nice shad and a big smile.

The Great Pond Yacht Club announces the 2016 Youth Sailing Program



When: July 25-July 29th, 2016
Aug. 1- Aug 5th, 2016
Aug. 8-Aug 12th, 2016
Aug. 15-Aug. 19th, 2016

Where: Center for All Seasons Shore

The Great Pond Yacht Club, in partnership with SailMaine is launching their 3rd youth sailing program on Great Pond again this summer. 2015 was a huge success for all of these young sailors! Families are not required to be members of the GPYC for their kids to attend.

Morning and afternoon classes are available in one-week-long sessions in July and August. Tuition is an affordable \$175/wk and scholarships are available so everyone can participate.

To learn more about the program, visit SailMaine's website: <http://www.sailmaine.org>.



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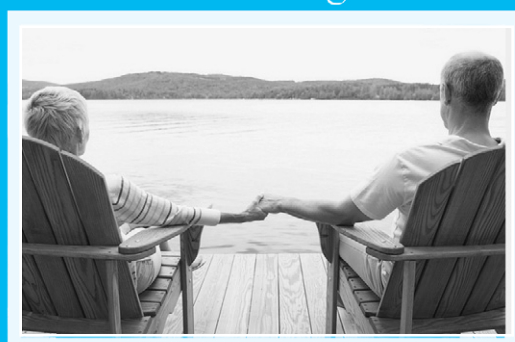


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BELGRADE STREAM, BELGRADE: 425' stream frontage. 5.4 acres. 3BR, 2.5BA. Custom built exceptional home with many amenities. #1251229 **\$798,000**



BELGRADE: 3BR/2BA Cape, LR, Dining Area w/deck, lge Kitchen, mudroom, 1.01 acres, short dist to town beaches and 2 boat launch areas. #1146951 **\$169,900**



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