

SUMMER 2016

Sunapee Recreation



The mission of Sunapee Recreation is to provide quality activities and facilities to all residents of Sunapee and their guests. Sunapee Recreation strives to positively enhance the mind, body and spirit as well as to encourage participation, fun and learning with its programs.

From the Director:

Welcome to the 2016 edition of our Sunapee Recreation brochure full of wonderful fun and educational activities for all ages. See what is happening this summer and fall in Sunapee.

Be sure to check out www.town.sunapee.nh.us. (click Departments then Recreation) for additional information and updates or there are three ways to follow us on facebook.



Dewey-Beach
Sunapee Recreation Dept.
Sunapee Turkey Trot



Recreation
Department
603-763-2212
[recreation@town.
sunapee.nh.us](mailto:recreation@town.sunapee.nh.us)





Welcome to Sunapee Beaches

The beaches open Memorial Day weekend and close Labor Day weekend.

Beach passes are required for parking and can only be obtained at Sunapee Town Hall.

DEWEY BEACH HOURS: Dewey Beach is open Mon-Sat 9am-6pm and Sun 11am-5pm (lifeguard hours) weather permitting.

GEORGES MILLS BEACH HOURS: Georges Mill Beach lifeguard hours are Saturday and Sunday from 11am – 3pm.

BEACH NUMBER: 763-5996

Take the Plunge! Learn to swim!

Swim Dates:

July 11 - July 22

July 25 - August 5

Swim registration forms are available at Dewey Beach, Sunapee Town Hall or online at www.town.sunapee.nh.us. If you are not sure of your child's swim level, visit the lifeguards at Dewey Beach for an assessment.

SWIM LEVELS

Preschool Water Fun!

For our younger "beach goers" (ages 2-4) and their parents, a water adjustment class full of getting used to the water with fun and games! Parental participation is a must. We will be playing games in the water and learning some safety as well!

For Swimmers entering kindergarten and beyond...

Level 1 – Water Exploration: Skills taught include water adjustment, prone float, turning over, kicking, beginner and crawl stroke. Water adjustment is the main focus in this level.

Level 2 – Primary Skills: Prerequisite skills are those learned in level 1. Students will be introduced to elements of the front and back crawl stroke.

Level 3 – Stroke Readiness: The prerequisite is successful completion of level 2. Students will improve front and back crawl strokes and be introduced to elementary backstroke.

Level 4 – Stroke Development: Students master previously learned swimming strokes and skills. Learn the breast stroke and side stroke and learn the basics of diving.

Level 5 – Stroke refinement: Students are introduced to the butterfly stroke and further development on diving.

Level 6 – Swimming & Skills Proficiency: Prepare for advanced courses. Personal water safety. Lifeguard readiness. Fundamentals of diving. Fitness swimmer. This class is the precursor to the lifeguarding class.



Kayaks, Canoes, Paddleboards, and Sailboats

These vessels can be borrowed from Dewey Beach. Call Dewey Beach for age requirements and restrictions.

Sunapee Contact Information

Recreation Department	603.763.2212
Scott Blewitt	recreation@town.sunapee.nh.us
Dewey Beach	603.763.5996
Town Hall	603.763.2212
Town Website	town.sunapee.nh.us
Abbott Library	abbottlibrary.org
Chamber of Commerce	lakesunapeenh.org

TENNIS ANYONE?

TENNIS LESSONS with Bruce Cronin



"Whether you're brushing up on skills (my husband) or starting from scratch (me and the kids!) Bruce has a way of making tennis accessible and fun whatever your skill level. Now we have another activity the whole family can enjoy!"

~Cheri Bergeron

Sunapee Recreation is offering tennis lessons for beginners through advanced. Lessons will be held at Dexter's Inn.

4-5pm (6-9 yrs old)

5-6pm (10-16 yrs old)

6-7pm (young adult-Seniors)

The Cost is \$40 for a session of 6 classes. Space is limited to six per class. Please bring your own tennis racquet and wear appropriate shoes.

Please register at Sunapee town hall. Any questions regarding lessons please call Bruce Cronin at 863-1259.

Session 1: June 13, 15, 20, 22, 27, 29

Session 2: July 6, 11, 13, 18, 20, 25

Session 3: Aug 1, 3, 8, 10, 15, 17



"Coffee with the Chief"
7:30 - 8:30am
Safety Services
Building

Occurs monthly and all residents are invited. This is a way for residents to communicate and connect with their community. We use an open forum type format. The Chief discusses police department news and he usually invites a guest speaker or two. Many topics are discussed and attendees are urged to bring their own topics up for discussion as well. Residents can find out the current month's date two ways- calling the police department at 763-5555, OR they can sign up for Police News on-line at town.sunapee.nh.us.

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Sunapee Lions Club Antique Motor Vehicle Show

Saturday, June 25th
Mount Sunapee Resort
9am - 2:30pm

with Rain Date 26th

Come view a super collection of fine automobiles, pickup trucks and motorcycles. Food, fun and free chair rides to the top of Mt. Sunapee for all entrants. Entry Fee - Pre Registration: \$15 / vehicle by June 1st Gate Registration \$ 20 / vehicle • Visitors \$ 5.00 per person entry fee

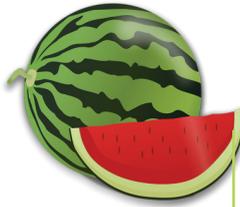
For more Information: www.sunapeelions.com



“Great Watermelon Race”

Saturday, July 2nd 6:00pm

Take one watermelon, add axels and wheels (any size) decorate and get ready to race down Maple Street, across from Pete’s Shed. Categories and prizes for all ages! Fun to watch too.



Official Watermelon Race Rules:

- RULE #1 Craft your Watermelon Race Car using a single Watermelon.
- RULE #2 Insert two independent axles through your Watermelon and attach wheels to the axles. Spice up your racer with style.
- RULE #3 You may not attach your Watermelon onto a pre-fabricated chassis of any kind (skateboard, stroller, Tonka truck, etc.) A.K.A. The “Anti-Stealth” Rule.
- RULE #4 NO EXPLOSIVES or PYROTECHNICS.
- RULE #5 No pushing or “helping” your Watermelon Racer on the starting line. Our Race Officials have seen it all - the last minute shove, the hidden thumb flick, the early release, the remote control chassis, etc. See Rule #6.
- RULE #6 NO CHEATING. Feel great about being honest and fair.

Independance Day Parade

Theme “Sunapee Strong”

Sunday, July 3rd, 12:00pm

Wanted: marching bands, clowns (happy or sad), sports teams, school classes, old cars/trucks, John Deere gators, fire trucks, farming tractors, Indian Cave residents! Sunapee Gardeners, old town roller, Bruins and Red Sox fans, etc. If you like to have fun, join our parade! Make a float, join the parade and see yourself on YCN. Line up at 11am at the Catholic Church, parade starts at noon. Organized by Sunapee Fire Department.

Fireman’s Day in Sunapee Harbor

Sunday, July 3rd following Parade

The Fire Department Association presents the 3rd annual Fireman’s Day Sunapee with activities including:

- Fire Extinguisher Demo at 1pm and 2pm
- Vehicle Extrication Demo at 3pm
- A dunk tank, bouncy house, and firefighter activities that kids and parents can participate in.



Fireworks in Sunapee Harbor

Sunday, July 3rd at Dusk

This is the best show on the lake!

Firework Funds: We are looking for donations to help make this year’s display spectacular, \$13,000 is needed, please consider donating to this festive event! Contributions can be made/ sent directly to the Town Hall, 23 Edgemont Rd. Sunapee, NH 03782 and will have a BOOMING impact!

Fireworks Cruise aboard the MV MT Sunapee tour boat

Sunday, July 3rd

Meet at the boat by 8pm. Please call Sunapee Town Hall at 603-763-2212 to reserve your tickets until Friday, July 1st. After July 1st, email Scott Blewitt at recreation@town.sunapee.nh.us for tickets. If you reserve and pay by June 17th, only \$20/person. After June 17th, \$25/person.

Fireworks from Sunapee Yacht Club

Monday, July 4th

Best viewed by boat.

Welcome to Sunapee Heritage Alliance!

Plans for restoration and reuse of the Harbor House Livery (aka Old Town Hall) as a vital Music, Arts and Community venue are posted on the website: sunapeeheritage.org
For more information call 763-5571.



“Fridays at the Livery”

Enjoy Music and Merriment on Friday evenings thru the summer at the Harbor House Livery on Main Street in Sunapee. Sponsored by: Sunapee Heritage Alliance, Project Sunapee, Sunapee Community Coffee House & Sunapee Recreation.

Details: www.sunapeeheritage.org or follow us on Happenings@theLivery



Abbott Library Summer Reading Program

Wednesday Nights in July



On Your Mark, Get Set... READ!

- Entertainers
- Community Involvement
- Sport Activities
- Reading
- Rewards

763-5513
www.AbbottLibrary.org

Sunapee Senior Citizens Sunapee Methodist Church

Anyone wishing to join "Sunapee Senior Citizens" can do so by attending one of our meetings. We meet every second and fourth Monday of the month at 1pm. Refreshments are served, followed by guest speaker or other entertainment such as Sunapee elementary students singing St. Patrick's Day songs. Recently we were lucky enough to get "Mooseman" Rick Libbey, with his wonderful slide show. Great times and more to come!



SPECIAL TRIP: To America's Music Cities!

April 2017

This 8-day tour will start right here in New London, NH and travel to New Orleans, continue to Memphis and end in Nashville. You will see all the sites and stay in top rated hotels. Coordinated by Collette Travel.

Trip information at: <https://gateway.gocollette.com/link/752127>

Itinerary at a Glance: (detailed schedule on above link)

Day 1 – 3 Sheraton New Orleans, New Orleans, Louisiana

Day 4 – 5 Sheraton Memphis Convention Center,
Memphis, Tennessee

Day 6 – 7 Gaylord Opryland Resort, Nashville, Tennessee

BONUS Register by September 1st and you will be entered to win one of two \$100 gift cards good toward New London Recreation programs. (NOTE: cannot be applied toward this trip)

Contact Scott Blewitt at 603-526-6401 or recreation@nl.nh.com

Looking Ahead: 2018 is the
Town of Sunapee's 250th Anniversary!



Crowther Memorial Chapel

Open: 11:30am-1:30pm

Sunday, June 26th

Sunday, July 31st

Sunday, August 28th

Sunday, September 25th

For more information call the Sunapee Town Office
at 763-2212.

Sailing basics will keep you afloat. Sailing can be relaxing or challenging, a recreational activity that can be competitive, depending on your skill and motivation.

Classes are 90 minutes long from 10am-11:30am, Mondays and Wednesdays. Fridays will be used as a rain date.

Session One: July 18-22 10-11:30am

Session Two: July 25-29 10-11:30am

Participants must be at least 10 years old and will need to pass a swimming test. The cost is \$50 per session. Space is limited. Lessons held at Dewey Beach. Repeat students are welcome!

Registration at Dewey Beach only.

Call Dewey Beach at 763-5996.



Learn to Sail!

Christmas in July Sale

Saturday, July 9th
9:00am to 2:00pm

The Methodist Church Women will hold their Christmas in July Sale at the Lake Sunapee United Methodist Church, Lower Main St., Sunapee.



Teddy Bear Picnic

Saturday, July 9th • 11:30am to 1:30pm
Sunapee Harbor

Bring: Your favorite Teddy/Tablecloth or Blanket/Picnic Lunch

- Teddy Bear Parade at 1:15 & Awards for all bears
- Face Painting / Pocket Lady Prizes
- Free Lemonade / Entertainment provided
- First Aid Tent for Teddies that need a stitch!
- No Admission Charge

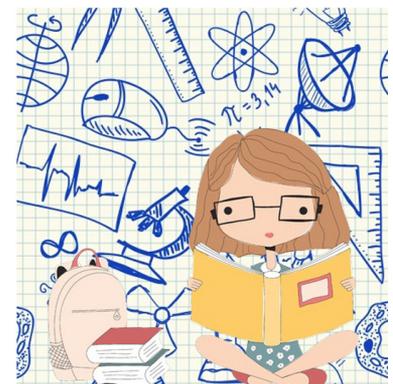
Raffle tickets \$.25 each (Raffle at 1:00pm)

Sponsored by Project Sunapee, Prospect Hill Antiques and Sunapee Recreation.

Little Red Wagon with Luna Goes to Mars

Friday, July, 15th, 2:00pm
at Harbor House Livery, Sunapee

The Little Red Wagon is the longest running nonprofit, children's theatre tour in the U.S. Since 1971, the Wagon has performed throughout New England at more than 70 locations every summer. Luna Goes to Mars the story of a determined 11-year-old aspiring astronaut named Luna. For her science project, she wants to build a rocket to go to Mars. Her older brother Neil doesn't believe that she can do it, but Luna knows she will succeed using both her STEM knowledge along with encouragement from her pet hedgehog, Astro! For more information go to <http://cola.unh.edu/theatre-dance/program/little-red-wagon> or call (603) 862-2150



Sunapee Historical Society

The Sunapee Historical Society, founded in 1973, is located in the Flanders/Osborne Stable in Sunapee Harbor. The old stable houses a museum with artifacts and photos representing the various facets of life in Sunapee. Free programs are presented on many Thursday evenings in July and August at 7pm. All programs except the cruise are free.

New Museum Exhibit – “Summer Visitors – A Cottage Industry”

A re-creation of a typical summer camp from yesteryear. Share your memories & scrapbook of visiting Granny’s summer camp at the lake.

June 27 – History Cruise on the MV Sunapee II 6 pm at the Harbor.

A narrated tour about the development of the lake’s shore and surviving historical cottages. This cruise will visit the Harbor’s shores, Gardner Bay (Granliden), Burkehaven, the Islands, and the Lake Avenue shoreline. Light refreshments provided, cash bar. Limited seating, reservations required. For tickets: www.sunapeehistoricalsociety.org

July 7 – Summer Visitors During The Age Of Steam. How they got here, where they stayed and what they did here. Many people came to visit – many would come back year-after-year. 7pm

July 9– Antiques/Art/Crafts Silent Auction and Sale. At the Harbor House Livery. If you have items to donate, we’d love to hear from you. A good time to clear out some things your kids won’t want! 12-3:30pm

July 14 – The Faceted History Of Sunapee. an overview of Sunapee’s history from its inception as a proprietary in 1768 to its bicentennial celebration in 1968. Including interesting photos through the years. * Location: 7pm at LSPA Learning Center.

July 21 – Georges Mills – Water Power & Tourism. Daniel George’s grist mill, a cooper shop and a sawmill helped to create the village at the northern tip of Lake Sunapee. When steamboats arrived, the tourist business blossomed here. 7pm



August 4 – Dan & Frank Woodsum Reminisce. Come hear the Woodsum brothers, portrayed by Greg Weiss and Greg Young as they recollect life and the business of steamboating on the lake. 6:30pm – Short business meeting, 7pm Program.

August 14 – Open House At The Museum. Docents available at various exhibits, Demonstration of the Woodsum Machine Shop, Magic Lantern Demonstration. 11am – 4pm.

August 18 – A Crackerbarrel Talk: Building Sunapee. 100 years ago, builders named Stocker, Dyer, Holmes, Collins, Trow’s Mill & others built the hotels, cottages and homes of Sunapee & Georges Mills. 7pm

Open: Open Memorial Day through Columbus Day: weekends only from Memorial Day through June and Labor Day through Columbus Day, 1-4pm; July and August: Tues, Thurs, Fri, Sat, & Sun 1-4pm and Wed, 7-9pm.

**763-9872 sunapeehistory@gmail.com
www.sunapeehistoricalsociety.org**

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Frenzy in the Forest Trail Run

Saturday July 16th
Webb Forest, Sunapee
9:00am

Seventh annual running of the Frenzy in the Forest is a fun 5-ish mile trail run through Webb Forest to benefit the Sunapee High School Athletic Leadership Council. Enjoy scenic mountain vistas, single-tracks, downhill, and varied terrain in the beautiful Webb Forest. Kids up to 16 are free; please visit www.wnhtrs.com for more info and registration.

THE HORROR AT HARDING HILL

Sunday, July 17th
Webb Forest, Sunapee

MASS START

ELITE: 5 LAPS –10:00am
EXPERTS: 4 LAPS –10:00am
SPORTS: 3 LAPS –10:05am
NOVICE: 2 LAPS –10:10am



The Horror at Harding Hill is a premier mountain bike race with a very challenging 5 mile loop through the woods of Sunapee.

Riders in the past claim that our course combines the best of single and double track riding. Several areas of the course are technical while others allow you to grind it out.

Junior Race (under 12): Shortened course:
9 am. Parent presence required - registration at race.

Prizes and awards presented at the conclusion of the race.

Registration at <http://www.bikereg.com>
Contact: Mark Gurney at 603-727-8015

Net proceeds benefit the Sunapee Recreation Department



5th Annual Lake Sunapee Sailing Day

Saturday, July 16th
Sunapee Harbor 1:00 pm

A fun day on the lake, sponsored by the Lake Sunapee Cruising Fleet. It is a "Poker Cruise" open to all sailboats. Sailboats meet at just outside the entrance to Sunapee Harbor at 1:00pm. A reception follows at 4:00pm at the Knowlton House in Sunapee Harbor with refreshments and prizes for the best poker hands and crew costumes. More information at lscf.us or katebruce.mccloy@gmail.com. 603-763-9610.

British Soccer Camp

July 25th-29th
Veterans Field,
Route 11,
Sunapee



Sunapee Recreation is pleased to announce a year of soccer camp partnership with Challenger Sports, providers of the U.S' most popular soccer camp programs – British Soccer Camps. Each day includes individual foot skills, technical drills, tactical practices, small-sided games, coached scrimmages, and a daily World Cup tournament.

First Kicks (ages 3-4) 11a-12p \$70
Mini Soccer (ages 5-6) 9-10:30a \$86
Half Day (ages 6-16) 9a-12p \$124

Register before June 10th to receive your FREE camp jersey.

Register visit www.challengersports.com or contact Rich Lamoury at rlamoury@challengersports.com or 401-213-3161



Lindsay & Her Puppet Pals

Friday,
July 29th
12:00pm

Sunapee Harbor on Flanders Stage



Lindsay brings a huge collection of lovingly handcrafted, life-size hand puppets and marionettes to child and family audiences across New England. Filled with silly humor, crowd participation, and unique, memorable characters, this series of charming, positive short stories will delight the young and the young at heart! Show is one hour long. For more information, please visit www.lindsayspuppetpals.com or call 603-393-5565.

Project Sunapee RIVERFEST

Sunday, July 31st
4-8pm
Sunapee Harbor

Join us for a Summertime Celebration with Friends & Neighbors down by the riverside! On River Road by the Covered Bridge.

- ~ Music & Merriment
- ~ Finger Lickin' good Picnic Fare
- ~ Enter the Cookie & Pie Baking Contest
- ~ Games of Skill & Chance for all ages
- ~ Prizes Galore~ Face Painting ~ Dunking Tank
- ~ Serendipitous Surprises



Details & Reservations: www.projectsunapee.org

2016 Music in Sunapee Harbor



Sunapee Harbor Riverway and Our Sponsors Proudly Present

Free Concerts on the Flanders Stage

Saturdays 5-7pm* *unless otherwise indicated*

JULY 2 - Click & Joanie Horning

JULY 9 - TBD

JULY 16 - TBD

JULY 23- Smoke & Mirrors

JULY 30 - TBD

AUGUST 6 - Rusted Chrome

AUGUST 13 TBD

AUGUST 14 - Second Wind (Sunday from 1-3 pm)

AUGUST 20 - Tom Pirozzoli & Kit Creeger

AUGUST 27 - TBD

SEPTEMBER 3 - Jim Hollis

Visit www.SunapeeHarborRiverway.com for schedule.

Rock Bass Fishing Derby

Saturday, August 13th
Weigh-in 11:00am
Sunapee Harbor

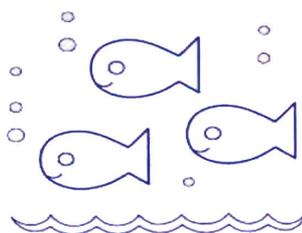
Join us for our annual Lake Sunapee Rock Bass Derby.

Our Derby has become a summer tradition around the lake with young and old alike having fun and earning prizes while controlling these pesky fish. All are welcome! No limit to team sizes.

Pre-register at Dewey Beach. Fish all day starting at 6am. Weigh-in is at 11am sharp in Sunapee Harbor.

No cost to participate. Fishing license required for 16 years and older and can be purchased online at <http://wildlife.state.nh.us/Licensing/licenses.htm>.

Many prizes for participants. For more information, please call 763-5996.



Ben Mere Bandstand

Wednesday Evenings – 6:30pm to 8:30pm

July 6 THE FLAMES

AA four piece “Rock & Roll” band playing music of the 50s, 60s & 70s with three vocalists including John Lovejoy on keyboards, Cam Cross on guitar, Eric von Ammon on drums and Terry Langford on tenor sax.

July 13 KID PINKY & HIS RESTLESS KNIGHTS

A retro-style four piece blues band from the Concord, NH area that is both authentic and unique, but not loud. A throwback to a more simple blues with its dedicated stylization and engaging personalities, Kid Pinky is always intimate and fun, a blues that’ll knock you out!

July 20 THE TAMMY JACKSON BAND

Perennial favorites, Tammy Jackson and Cliff Clegg return to the summer stage with their band and special guests. This “Fulton Sister’s” Reunion brings Tammy’s sister Traci back, joined by Tammy’s musical daughter, Katherine Jackson Lewis Together they’ll perform some of their favorite country classics. Tammy, Cliff and their family never fail to please their audiences with lots of laughter and great country music.

July 27 THE SQUIDS

This 5 piece band offers an eclectic, up beat mix of American music – a blend of R&B/Blues/Jazz/Latin/Rock and Country for mind and feet. Featuring Leslee Glidden, David Pelletier, Pooh Sprague, Dana Flewelling and Brian Kennell.

August 3 THE EAST BAY JAZZ ENSEMBLE

A 12 to 14 piece big band featuring Gerry Grimo with lots of brass performing all the “big band” favorites these town bandstands’ summer music series are famous for.

August 10 THE BILL WIGHTMAN QUARTET featuring guest GREG ABATE

This quartet features players from the popular JOSA (Jazz On a Sunday Afternoon) Ensemble with Bill Wightman on keys and vocals, Tim Gilmore on percussion, and Matt Langley on tenor sax. Tonight’s performance features one of JOSA’s favorite artists, international alto saxophonist, GREG ABATE.)

August 17 STUDIO TWO

An up-and-coming Beatles tribute band, formed to honor The Beatles’ 50th anniversary of coming to America and to show audiences across New England and beyond what it was like to hear The Beatles live in concert. The band reenacts The Beatles’ signature look right down to the mop-top haircuts, instruments and musical equipment, on-stage banter – and most importantly – the style and quality of the music.

August 24 N.O.B. (NICK’S OTHER BAND)

A classic rock n’ roll 6 piece dance band playing music from Motown to Van Morrison, from the B-52s to Los Lonely Boys. Lead vocalist Dave Pilla is backed by Nick Eaton - drums, Scott King - bass, Chuck Will - keyboards, Eric Viandier – harmonica, Phil Goodnow - guitar, vocals and Keith Barrett - lead guitar and vocals. Audience participation is welcomed and encouraged.

August 31 MO’COMBO

One of the Upper Valley’s favorite bands, this “combo” offers classic R&B, straight ahead blues, and New Orleans bayou funk, featuring strong vocals, smooth harmonies, and a smokin’ horn section. Musicians include Dana Flewelling [drums]; Skip Truman [bass & vocals]; Will Michaels [guitar & vocals]; Scott Sanborn [keyboard & vocals]; with various horn players.



2016 LSPA Summer Programs

All LSPA events are held at Lake Sunapee Protective Association, LSPA Learning Center, Sunapee Harbor, free and open to the public. Call 763-2210 for more information.

Terrestrial Invasive Plants

June 28, 7pm

Doug Cygan of the NH Department of Agriculture will provide an in-depth look at terrestrial invasive plant species of New Hampshire. Learn about the issues, New Hampshire rules and regulations, characteristics, identifying features and control measures of some of the most aggressive non-native plants here in the Granite State.

Animals with Bad Reputations.

July 7, 6pm

The "public image" of some animals is often inaccurate and leads to attitudes detrimental to wildlife and the environment. Take a close look at the good qualities of some animals with unfair bad reputations. This is a live animal program taught by expert naturalists from the Squam Lakes Natural Science Center.

The Faceted History of Sunapee

July 14, 7pm

Becky Rylander, President of the Sunapee Historical Society, will present an overview of Sunapee's history from its inception as a proprietary in 1768 to its bicentennial celebration in 1968. Interesting photos through the years will also be presented.

LSPA's Annual Meeting

July 16, 9:15am - 11:00am

Learn about current lake topics, discover the latest on science and education, meet with staff and fellow members, and view exhibits. Refreshments served.

Protecting Shorelands to Preserve Water Quality

July 26, 7pm

Jay Aube from the Shoreland Program of NH Department of Environmental Services (DES) and Robert Wood, LSPA's Associate Director will present what state and local shoreland regulations allow homeowners to do on their properties and how they can protect their investment.

The Underwater Layering of Lake Sunapee and other NH lakes

July 28, 7pm

The sub-bottom stratigraphy (layering) of Lake Sunapee and other NH lakes will be presented by Dr. Steve Arcone, a retired researcher from the Cold Regions Lab in Hanover, NH. Learn about this branch of geology including lake basins, turbidites, and unconformities interpreted from ground-penetrating radar profiles. Steve's interests are in

glaciology and geology, particularly beneath New Hampshire lakes. Steve has been to Antarctica 12 times and to Alaska more than 50 times on various programs.

Pollinators in NH

August 2, 7pm

Lionel Chute, Director, Sullivan County Natural Resources, will present Pollinators in NH and the local area. One of every three bites of food we eat is dependent on pollinators, such as bees, butterflies and other critters. Pollinators are valuable, but did you know that many pollinators are in trouble? Learn what you can do to provide pollinator habitat!

Love Your Lake Day and Antique Boat Parade

Sunday, August 14, 10am-2pm
(Boat Parade @ 1pm)



Held at LSPA, this free event includes crafts, activities and games for children, live aquatic plant specimens, scavenger hunts, loon exhibit, ice cream, popcorn, music, demonstrations including an active stream table, and lovingly restored antique boats on display and in the parade. Free and fun for all ages!

Full Moon Cruise

September 15, 6pm Boarding Time

Location: Sunapee Harbor, M.V. Sunapee Boat Cruise

Join LSPA on a beautiful not-to-be-missed cruise, timed for the full moon over sparkling waters! Hors d'oeuvres provided; cash bar; \$25 pp; Reservations required. Don't miss out on this very popular yearly event! Call LSPA at 763-2210.

Ice Cream Social and Open House

Thursday, September 1
4:30pm-6:30pm

Join Mount Royal Academy for an Ice Cream Social and Open House! This fun event is open to the public. The Ice Cream Social may mark the end of the summer, but there is still plenty of fun to be had. We hope you can join us for some ice cream and family fun.

Mount Royal Academy, 26 Seven Hearths Lane, Sunapee, www.mountroyalacademy.com or call 603-763-9010.



Bootcamp!

5:30am Tuesday/Thursday
at the Shelburne Gym
contact Scott for the next session info.

Youth Sports

for Kindergarten-6th grade Girls & Boys:

Soccer registration deadline August 1st

Basketball registration deadline October 21st

Please go to Sunapee town hall for registration

HELP NEEDED: We are looking for soccer referees & basketball officials – all it takes is a positive attitude, a whistle, and some sport knowledge, paid stipend per game. We welcome all volunteer coaches at any level!

2016 What's Happening

May

- 30 Dewey and Georges Mills Beaches open for the season.

JUNE

- 6 Abbott Library Summer Reading Program begins
- 25 Antique and Classic Car Show, 9am, Mount Sunapee
- 26 Crowther Memorial Chapel, Open 11:30am-1:30pm
- 27 Sunapee Historical Society programs begin

JULY

- 2 Flanders Stage, Sunapee Harbor (concerts begin), 5pm
- 2 Watermelon Race, 5:30pm
- 3 Independence Day Parade, noon
- 3 Fireman's Day at Veterans Field (following parade)
- 3 Sunapee Harbor Fireworks, 9pm
- 4 Sunapee Yacht Club Fireworks, dusk
- 6 Ben Mere Bandstand (concerts begin), 7pm
- 6 Tennis Lessons, Dexter's Inn (Session I begins)
- 9 Christmas in July, 9am
- 9 Teddy Bear Picnic, 11:30am
- 9 Antiques/Art/Crafts Silent Auction and Sale, Noon
- 13 Swim Lessons, Dewey Beach (Session I begins)
- 15 Little Red Wagon with Luna Goes to Mars, 2pm
- 16 Frenzy in the Forest, Webb Forest, 9am
- 16 4th Annual Lake Sunapee Sailing Day
- 17 Horror at Harding Hill, 8am, registration at Webb Forest
- 18 Sailing Lessons, Dewey Beach (Session I begins)
- 25 Sailing Lessons, Dewey Beach (Session II begins)
- 25 British Soccer Camp, Veteran's Field
- 25 Swim Lessons, Dewey Beach (Session II begins)

- 29 Lindsay and Her Puppet Pals, Sunapee Harbor, 2pm
- 31 Crowther Memorial Chapel, Open 11:30am-1:30pm
- 31 Project Sunapee's Riverfest, 4pm

AUGUST

- 1 Fall Soccer sign-up for kids grades K-6
- 1 Tennis Lessons, Dexter's Inn (Session III begins)
- 13 Rock Bass Fishing Derby at Sunapee Harbor
- 14 Love Your Lakes Day and Antique Boat Parade, 10am
- 28 Crowther Memorial Chapel, Open 11:30am-1:30pm

SEPTEMBER

- 1 Mount Royal Ice Cream Social, 5pm
- 5 Dewey and Georges Mills Beaches close for the season.
- 15 LSPA Full Moon Cruise, 6pm
- 25 SPTO Chowder and Chili Challenge, Sunapee Harbor, noon
- 25 Crowther Memorial Chapel, Open 11:30am-1:30pm

OCTOBER

- 9 4th Annual Arts & Crafts Exhibit & Sale, noon
- 21 Basketball Registration deadline
- 29 Haunted Harbor Halloween, 4:30pm

NOVEMBER

- 24 Sunapee Turkey Trot, Sunapee Harbor, 9am

DECEMBER

- 3 Sunapee Magic, Sunapee Harbor, noon
- 3 Looney Lunge, Sunapee Harbor, 2pm



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SAVE THESE DATES

16th Annual Chowder and Chili Challenge

September 25th
Sunapee Harbor
Noon-3pm

You be the Judge!

Local restaurants and chowder/chili enthusiasts will compete for the title of best chowder or chili around. Attendees sample the many delicious chowder and chili creations and then cast their vote for the best. Also local artisans, children's events, music and much more. The Chowder Challenge is the Sunapee Parent Teacher Organization's largest fundraiser.



10th Annual Lake Sunapee Turkey Trot 5K

November 24th 9am

Whether you walk, push a stroller, jog or run, this is a great event for all to enjoy. Don't forget your costumes - there is an award for best costume! This fantastic walk/run is truly a community event from local businesses sponsoring the race, to all of our wonderful volunteers who make it all happen!

Race day registration available from 7-8am. There will be an awards ceremony after the race. Register and pay online at www.sunapeeturkeytrot.com.

Support this great fundraiser for Sunapee Recreation!

5th Annual Arts & Crafts Exhibit & Sale

October 9th 11am-4pm
Harbor House Livery, Sunapee

Meet a Potter, Painter, Photographer & Printmaker. Jewelers, Mixed Media & Fiber Artists & Purveyor of Incredible Edibles. www.projectsunapee.org



HAUNTED HALLOWEEN 6

October 29th
4:30-8:00pm

Sunapee Harbor is the place to be for a Magical Frightful Halloween Night! The Pirate Ship will be back at the dock! "Rag-a-Muffin Parade" ~ Ghostly Games ~ Tailgate "Trick-or-Treating" Teller of Fortunes ~ Sinister Graveyard Spirits ~ Spooky Surprises for all ages. www.projectsunapee.org

Sunapee Harbor Magic

December 3rd
Sunapee Harbor
Noon-3pm



Looney Lunge

December 3rd
2pm, Sunapee Harbor

Definition of looney - someone deranged and possibly dangerous, crazy, loony, nutcase, weirdo colloquialism - a colloquial expression; characteristic of spoken or written communication that seeks to imitate informal speech lunatic, madman, maniac - an insane person.