



NH Wheelers

A NH Good Sam Chapter

May 2021 Newsletter



NH Wheelers have winter meetings on the 2nd Sunday of each month at local watering holes. During the camping season, meetings are usually on the 2nd weekend of the month, at the monthly campout. Guests are always welcome.

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Check with the Wagon Master to see which campouts require an advance deposit. Let CG know you are with Wheelers.

Jan 2021	No Meeting in January.
28 Feb 2021	Zoom meeting, 8 PM.
28 Mar 2021	To be Determined. Perhaps a Zoom meeting. 8PM
Apr 23-25 2021	April campout cancelled due to COVID. Meeting at Lone Pine Hunters Club in Hollis was held.
May 21-23 2021	Mile-A-Way Campground, Henniker NH
June 25-27 2021	Walnut Grove, Alfred Maine.
July 23-25 2021	Lake Forest CG, E. Wakefield NH. Make reservations. Need Deposit
Aug 2020	NH Rally (Samboree) Lancaster NH Make own reservations with State
Aug 27-29 2021	Old Stage Campground, Madbury NH.
Sept 24-26 2021	Wadleigh Falls Campground, Lee NH
Oct 8-11 2021	Newfound RV Park, Bristol, NH. Make own reservations: \$15/person to Greg for meal.
November	No Meeting in November. Possible Zoom Mtng
Dec 2021	To Be Determined
	PLEASE CHECK WEB SITE FOR LATEST!

Most Campgrounds are now requiring individuals make their own reservations and pay a deposit. Let Wagon Master know.

Our Meetings

Our summer meetings usually take place at 10:00 AM on the Saturday of the camping weekend. Winter meetings are scheduled in the Fall and the location may vary. They are held on the last Sunday of the month. If at a restaurant, the meeting usually starts after most have ordered their meal and is held while meals are prepared. Winter meetings will not be held in November and January.

Minutes of the last meeting New Hampshire Wheelers

The May 2021 meeting of the NH Wheelers was called to order at 10:10 AM on 22 May 2021 by President Spencer Stickney at Mile Away Campground in Henniker NH. 7 member families were present. The pledge to the flag was recited and a moment of silence was held for those in need of our prayers.

Secretary's Report:

Jim Belanger read the minutes of the April 2021 meeting. Minutes were approved with a motion by Armand Pinard and seconded by Dennis Lortie.

Treasurer's report: Greg Thayer presented the treasurer's report up to date and his report was accepted on a motion by Dennis Lortie, second by Spencer Stickney.

New Members: There were no new members presented for membership.

Web Master: The Web Master had nothing new to report except to remind everyone to visit the web site as often as they can.

Wagon Master: The Wagon Master went over the camping schedule which is posted on the web site. It was the unanimous opinion of those present that we (Wheelers) not return to this campground again.

Wellness: Diana Fortin is on the mend and expects to return to work by June 15th.

Correspondence: None.

Unfinished Business: The subject of choosing different meeting places for winter meetings was brought up at last month's meeting. Members present suggested River Works in Newmarket and Greg will check it out. Another suggestion was Tuck-A-Way tavern in Raymond and Kathy will check that out. It is off exit 5 on Route 101.

New Business: Spencer moved and Armand seconded that the club pay Greg \$12 for the raffle tickets he purchased for our use. Motion carried.

The bylaws was brought up with respect to types of membership and who should be voting on motions. Jim reminded everyone that a member is only considered a regular member, and therefore a voting member, when they have attended 4 meetings in the past year. The bylaws will be reviewed and a copy sent to all current members, honorary, guest or regular.

Announcements: Kathy announced that Greg turned 75 years old on May 20th and is cancer free at this time.

Birthdays/Anniversaries: Spencer read off the members with birthdays and anniversaries this month.

The raffle: The 50/50 raffle drawing resulted in Dennis Lortie winning \$25 while the club got \$25.

Meeting adjourned at 10:50 AM after a motion by Greg Thayer, seconded by Mark Westgate.

Respectfully submitted
Jim Bélanger, Secretary

Secretary Comments

This weekend at Mile Away in Henniker was not one of the best. The members attending voted unanimously not to return. Although it had been touted as a good place for the Wheelers but that was 10 years ago. A lot has changed since then and the conditions have deteriorated, at least for the Safari Area. The AC Voltage was at 109 volts at best and often dropped to 100 volts due to the heavy use of Air Conditioners and other needs. There were no local TV channels to view. The pool, which was usually open in April was not open and the temperature was in the 90s. Although the temp is not under the CG control, the low voltage should be addressed. Several of the former RV campsites in the Safari area have been turned into tent only sites.

Other than the bad conditions, the Wheelers made it a good weekend with Happy Hour and a Pot Luck supper. We were blessed with K-9 visitors. Jane had a new puppy cuddling up to her all weekend while the Tate's were dog sitting their daughter's dog. Jim walked up to the group, surprised the dog who lunged at him and caused the leash holder, Ellen, get dragged off her chair bringing Don, who was seated next to her, along with her. Both were quite a site on their sides on the grass (except for Don's arm) with flipped over chairs.