



NH Wheelers

A NH Good Sam Chapter
June 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. See Wheeler Web Site.
Aug 27-29 2021	Old Stage Campground, Madbury NH. See Wheeler Web Site.
Sept 24-26 2021	Wadleigh Falls Campground, Lee NH. See Wheeler Web Site.
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 June 2021 meeting of the NH Wheelers was called to order at 10:10 AM on 26 June 2021 by President Spencer Stickney at Walnut Grove Campground in Alfred Maine. 8 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 May 2021 meeting. Minutes were approved as amended with a motion by Armand Pinard and seconded by Greg Thayer.

Treasurer's report: Greg Thayer presented the treasurer's report which was accepted after a motion by Diana Fortin, seconded Mark Westgate.

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

Web Master: The Web Master again asked folks to visit the web site and send prospective members there. A question was raised about the renewal of the domain name www.nhwheelers.com and the answer is, YES, that has been renewed.

Wagon Master: Lake Forest for July has been confirmed. 3 members have stated they plan to arrive on Thursday. All electric is 50A so all are reminded they need a 30A adapter if they need one. Old Stage has been confirmed for August but members need to call the campground and make a reservation. Wadleigh Falls is confirmed for September.

Wellness: Kathy Thayer is doing well after her surgery. Dave Allen had toe surgery and will survive. Diana Fortin is back with us again. Mark and Maria Westgate ran into a bear in Upstate New York but the bear is doing well.

Correspondence: None except for the usual request for support from the NH Food Bank.

Unfinished Business: The subject of changing the By-Laws to clarify members who can or cannot vote at meetings and how the Associate and Regular membership takes place. After lengthy discussion with no firm conclusion, Mark Westgate moved to table this to the next meeting, second by Greg Thayer, and the motion carried.

New Business: Wagon Master Jennifer and President Spencer plan to visit some campgrounds to the West of Nashua and will report their findings for future camping weekends.

Announcements: All are reminded that the July Campout will feature an Ice Cream Social.

Birthdays/Anniversaries: There were no members listed with birthdays in June. The Allen's celebrate their anniversary in June however.

The raffle: The 50/50 raffle drawing resulted in Jane Lortie winning \$35 while the club got \$35. Lortie's win two months in a row!!

Meeting adjourned at 11:15 AM after a motion by Greg Thayer, seconded by David Allen.

Respectfully submitted
Jim Bélanger, Secretary

Secretary Comments

This weekend was more typical and everyone had a good time. It is unfortunate that some of us had to cancel the camping but attended the meeting. To my knowledge, the campground did not charge members who simply came in to attend the meeting. No motion was made during the meeting to return to Walnut Grove next year. The reason for that is not clear since there was nothing that would encourage us to skip it except for the possibility of finding a new place for next year. Heavy discussion was held regarding voting members and non-voting members. This will certainly come around again as it was tabled to the July meeting at the meeting. Perhaps a suggested By-Law change might emerge before then. The weather held out although there was some rain on Friday morning but that was over by noon. We had visitors who might be interested in joining up with us. George and Cynthia Haskell of Portsmouth were former NH State Good Sam Directors and are still actively camping. They visited us in the afternoon on Saturday and seemed to fit in very well with the group. The campfire was well attended on Friday while the Saturday one was rather sparse. I would guess folks were simply tired except for those who prefer to watch sports v/s flames. Each safari field site has sewer and the WiFi was super.