



Year 2017

The Madbury Historical Society invites you to join our group for a wide selection of fascinating programs throughout the year. Check inside for the schedule, and while you are thinking about it, become a member so you will receive a reminder of all the Society's activities.

**If you haven't been coming,
you've been missing a lot!**

The Madbury Historical Society, incorporated under the laws of the State of New Hampshire, held its organizational meeting on October 17, 1978. The stated purpose of the society is to encourage an interest in the history of Madbury including the collection, display, and care of articles of historic interest. This may include the ownership and/or lease of property acquired by purchase or gift for the benefit of this and of future generations.

President- Melissa Walker

Vice President- Jeannette Fones

Treasurer- Tina Crosby

Secretary- Kathy Frid

Board of Directors

Cathy Acerra Tom Crosby

Pat Gleske Don Sylvester

Janet Wall Pricilla
Polichronopoulos

2016 Programs at the Madbury Town Hall- 7:00 PM

January 10th (snow date 1/11) "New Hampshire 's Wild History: 35 Years of NH's Wild." A 35 min. slide presentation presented by the UNH Cooperative Extension, takes participants on a virtual journey through NH's past, focusing on changes in the land and how wildlife populations have responded over time. Focus is on rare wildlife and habitats.

May 1st A special Membership meeting for those wishing to plan and help with the Society's **Madbury Day** participation (Madbury Day is June 3rd).

April 11th "New Hampshire's Grange Movement: Its Rise, Triumphs and Decline" presented by Steve Taylor who served as NH's commissioner of agriculture for 25 years. The development of the Grange movement in the 1880's and 1890's was aided greatly by hunger for social interaction, entertainment and mutual support. As membership surged it became a major force in policymaking in Concord, and its agenda aligned closely with the Progressive politics that swept the state in the early 20th century. Made possible through a grant from the NH Humanities To Go Program.

July 26th "Brewing in New Hampshire: An Informal History of Beer in the Granite State from Colonial Times to the Present". Glenn Knoblock explores the history of NH's beer and ale brewing industry from Colonial days, when it was " house and tavern based", to today's modern breweries and brew pubs along with unusual and rare photos and advertisements documenting this changing industry. An Ice Cream Social will follow. Made possible through a grant from the NH Humanities To Go Program.

November 14th Attic Treasures! Bring in an item or items of interest to share. This is our Annual Meeting and Potluck.

Membership is open to all persons interested in Town, State and Regional History.

Tax-deductible contributions assist in scheduling historical programs of interest, and in the collection, preservation, display, and storage of Madbury History and are always appreciated!

Annual Dues

- \$0.50 Children under 18 yrs.
- \$2.00 Adults
- \$25.00 Lifetime Membership (plus a free copy of "Madbury" produced by the Madbury Forum-1979.)

Send your dues to:

The Madbury Historical Society, 13 Town Hall Rd, Madbury, NH 03823

Name_____

Address_____

Telephone_____

email_____

Dues Enclosed_____

Tax Deductible Donation_____