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Time for a meal after a day of paddling on the Allagash River.



Time out to enjoy the stream.



Sailboarding, a popular challenge for Senior Campers.

## November 2005

Dear Friends

Since the origin of the camp in 1902 the Directors of Wyonegonic have been keenly interested in conservation, the environment and preservation. C.E. Cobb was a teacher and astute businessman who purchased land for a camp because he realized that young women could thrive in the outdoors. His son, Roland Cobb was also a teacher, who knew the value of our outdoor classroom. He then served the state of Maine as Fish and Game Commissioner. George Sudduth was a science teacher who grew up spending his summers at camp in the Adirondacks, hiking and canoe tripping. Carol's experience was similar, but in northern Wisconsin, and together they brought to Wyonegonic a desire to immerse campers in more hiking and canoe trips.

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Today as the Sudduth family moves forward you will find all new Juniors and Intermediates inserted in an Outdoor Leadership syllabus which has three components; a week each of ecology, canoeing and camp craft skills. These are aimed at helping campers feel comfortable in the out of doors and all extend an element of education geared to appreciation and preservation validating the wise practices in caring for land. Campers learn skills they can use on hikes and canoe trips. Leadership Training candidates can choose to participate in the State of Maine's Junior Maine Guide Program. Campers tackle the Junior Maine Woodsman or Maine Woodsman syllabus. All campers, regardless of age, go on a cabin overnight. Each summer a wide potpourri of trips is available for campers to select from if they have the interest - and most campers do participate; some several times a summer.

When your journey to Maine leads you to Wyonegonic, you enter through a stone gate that was constructed by Steve Sudduth in memory of his Father, George. On the bronze plaque you will find the words **DISCOVER SHARE PRESERVE.** These words were chosen to illustrate the vision and beliefs of the two families that have been guardians of Wyonegonic.

Two years ago we discovered that Pleasant Mountain was for sale. We shared the concern with others and partnered with Loon Echo Land Trust. Carol joined the campaign committee and found other passionate town leaders who valued the idea of keeping Pleasant Mountain a natural habitat and symbol of preservation in our lake country. This August we celebrated a successful 1.5 million dollar campaign to preserve the 1200 acres for present and future generations.

Special thanks are extended to Wyonegonic and Winona Camps and the many alumnae who stepped forward with generosity to pledge to preserve Pleasant Mountain. You have been instrumental in preserving a natural community that represents the diversity of Maine by protecting the lands and waters that trees, plants and animals need to survive. We are now assured that this land preservation conserves the necessary natural resources. How fitting that campers can continue to ascend the trails to the summit and absorb the views of



Hiking to an AMC hut.



Canoe Class with Pleasant Mountain.



Juniors packed up for cabin overnight.





Ecology class - exploring the wonders in Wvonegonic's backvard.



Seniors sailing their canoes on the West Branch of the Penobscot.

Mt Washington and the Saco River Valley. How fortunate that all of us on the Eastern Shore of Moose Pond are assured a view that changes colors seasonally and moods daily - being spared the disturbing scars of development.

There is more work to be done but Loon Echo Land Trust is lining up partners that will help with stewardship. The Nature Conservancy monitors 1800 acres of adjacent space on Pleasant's western side. AMC is working on trail maintenance on the Ledges Trail; Wyonegonic is responsible for the Southwest Trail; Winona for the Bald Peak Trail (and Needles Eye); and Shawnee Peak Ski Area on the north end.

Pleasant Mountain is much more that an icon for Wyonegonic campers and alumnae. It is a recreational paradise for camps, local hikers, skiers and hunters. It is a robust wilderness and a valuable ecosystem.

Let's celebrate with a Ki Yi and Hi Le -O!

Carol : Jam

The Sudduths

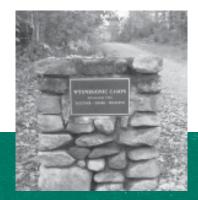


Carol & Steve



CITs in the war canoe, heading for the mountain.

Maine Woodsman, learning how to read maps and chart their course.



DISCOVER, SHARE, PRESERVE



215 Wyonegonic Road, Denmark, Maine 04022

NOVEMBER

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PHILADELPHIA, PA

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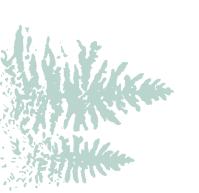
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BOSTON, MA

HARTFORD, CT

Monday, 7:00 pm

860-521-5189

November 21, 2005

December 4, 2005

November 20, 2005 Sunday, 4:00 pm

Museum of our National Heritage

33 Marrett Rd, Lexington, MA 781-861-6559

Home of Fred and Anne Coon

FAIRFIELD COUNTY, CT WESTCHESTER COUNTY, NY

Sunday, 4:00 pm Roundhill Room Hyatt Regency Greenwich 1800 E. Putnam Ave, Old Greenwich, CT 203-637-1234

104 Ridgewood Rd, West Hartford, CT

PRINCETON, NJ December 5, 2005 Monday, 7:00 pm Home of Jill Goldman and Larry Richards 5 Benedek Rd, Princeton, NJ 609-683-9728

Thursday, 7:00 pm Ordway Hall Gould Academy, Bethel, ME 207-842-7700

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NEW YORK CITY

December 6, 2005 Tuesday, 5:30 pm

WAKEFIELD, RI

December 7, 2005 Wednesday, 7:00pm

81 Henry Case Way Wakefield, RI 02879

December 15, 2005

401-783-7283

BETHEL, ME

The Williams Club of NYC

24 East 39th St, New York, NY 212-697-5300

Home of Mark and Amy Chafee

SEATTLE, WA January 2, 2006 Monday, 3:00 pm Hone of Bruce and Martine Conley Twito 18602 21st Place NE, Lake Forest, WA 206-361-3988

January 10, 2006 Tuesday, 7:00 pm Home of Lesley DeVore and William Westby 67 Pine Rd, Tuxedo Park, NY 10987 845-351-4565

363 Maine Mall Rd, So. Portland, ME

Home of Ginny and Rob Roriston

47 Knollwood Rd, Short Hills, NJ

WINONA CAMPS for boys

35 Winona Road, Bridgton, ME 04099 207-647-3721

information@winonacamps.com · www.winonacamps.com

WASHINGTON, DC

January 21, 2006 Saturday, 4:00 pm Home of Ambassador and Mrs. Michael Smith 1315 Merrie Ridge Rd, McLean, VA 703-351-6940

Saturday, 4:00 pm Holiday Inn/Newton 399 Grove St (exit 22 off I95) Newton, MA 02462 617-969-5300

591 East Lancaster Ave, St. Davids, PA

Emily and Spencer Jones 15000 SW 80<sup>th</sup> Ave, Miami, FL 33158

CHICAGO, IL February 6, 2006 Monday 7:00 pm Liz and Todd Warnock 889 Sheridan Rd, Winnetka, IL 60093 847-446-4633



COME TO THE GATHERINGS

for campers, families, friends, prospects, staff and alumnae

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PORTLAND ME

January 8, 2006 Sunday , 4:00 pm

Sheraton Hotel

207-756-6516

SHORT HILLS, NJ

TUXEDO PARK, NY

January 9, 2006 Monday, 4:00 pm

973-467-3255

Carolina Bergaz Crews, visiting camper friends she recommended to Wyo.

Joel Brunning, Wyonegonic hiking trip leader for eleven summers, 1990-2001. Completed NH's 48, 4,000 footers in July with camp friends, Simone Carroll, Carol Schumpert Sudduth & Jill Gasperini.

Eleanor Hyman Besharov & Doug, parents of the bride at Eleanor's Wyonegonic Pine Grove Wedding, Labor Day Weekend.

Derry Healy Henderson, stroll down memory lane and engaging with campers.