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New! Equinox Trail and Bridges

Two substantial bridges have been built over rough and wet areas on Linker trail going from Saranac trail to Luke’s Lodge. These plank bridges were built with inspiration from the stringer bridges in the Student Conservation Association trail building manual, *Lightly on the Land*. Kate Racette, 17, showed her stewardship and contributed know-how she gained from her experience on the SCA Trail Crew in Harpers Ferry, WV and the White Mountains National Recreation Area north Fairbanks, AK.

A new trail called Equinox has been cut, and is now ready for play. This trail is a nice excursion from Saranac and connects with Pelvis Pass. All of the trail signs have been put up.

Trail Map Now Online



Have you visited newlandtrust.org lately? It has a new look, thanks to Doug Yu. Here you will find the new downloadable trail map, a list of upcoming events, and driving directions to the Land Trust. You may notice that saranaclandtrust.org will appear in the address bar. We have secured this domain name as well, however the official address will remain newlandtrust.org.

NLT Trail Map thanks to Stu Douglas

Full Moon Gathering Dec. 13th

Join us Saturday, December 13th, 7pm at 236! Bring your own beverages and food. Catch up with NLT friends and keep warm by the bonfire. Bring your friends and family along too. Cross your fingers for a snowfall!

Thanks to Josh

The masonry stove at the Barn was in need of much repair this summer until Josh Travers, Monica Clark’s son, stepped in to offer his masonry expertise. Josh, a flooring contractor and missionary, found time in his busy schedule and traveled from Melbourne, FL to visit and lend a hand this past September. We appreciate his work and hope he visits again in the not-too-far future.

Upcoming...

Next Open House

December 13th - Guided tours of the XC ski and snowshoe trails are at 11:00am and 1:30pm.

Full Moon Gathering

December 13th - 7pm, at 236. Bring your headlamps, skis, snowshoes, or warm boots!

Next board meeting will be in January, date TBD.

New Members

A warm welcome to...

Roland & Sonya Oliver, Champlain
Tim & Janet Mihuc, Saranac
Russell & Kate Puschak, Plattsburgh

See you on the trails!

Pass it on!

Please forward this newsletter to five of your friends. If you’d like to keep receiving news from the NLT, please email us at newlandtrust@gmail.com. --- Send your NLT news and features to the same address!

To receive copies of the board minutes, e-mail Kathy at buzzie@westelcom.com

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