

Wilmot Historical Society Offers Supper at Bandstand Concert

The Fern Family Band performs

Press release

The Wilmot Historical Society is serving supper at the Saturday, August 20, Wilmot Bandstand Concert. Denise's famous Mac and Cheese will be accompanied by coleslaw and a beverage. Homemade cookies and watermelon are on the menu for dessert. Entertainment will be provided by a local rhythm and blues group, the Fern Family Band.

Have a question about Wilmot history? The history room in the Wilmot

Town Office is now open every Saturday during the Wilmot Farmers Market from 9 AM to noon.

If you would like to inquire about your Wilmot genealogy, docents are on hand to help you. A new addition to help you do your research is a form on which to build your family tree and sheets for you to fill out with pertinent info on family. They are also providing links to help with research.

Wilmot genealogical papers that were compiled many years ago are now available in digitized form. The goal is to upload these files to the Wilmot Historical Society website.

If you have any questions about the history room, please call either Catherine Stearns at 603 525-8606 or Liz Kirby at 603 496-4883.

Wilmot Farmers Market Encourages Community to Eat Local

Donna Sprague
Wilmot Farmers Market

Wilmot Farmers Market joins markets across the country in celebrating National Farmers Market Week, from Sunday, August 7 through Saturday, August 13, and New Hampshire Eat Local Month for the entire month of August.

The Market encourages the community to attend our market during August and to participate in the New Hampshire Eat Local Challenge. Purchase foods from at least five different farms or food businesses that source from local farms. By Wednesday, August 31, submit a challenge form, available at the market while supplies last, for a chance to win one of a variety of nice prizes.

Later in the month, on Saturday, August 20, the market will be the host for a Cooking Matters workshop from 10 to 11 AM. In partnership with the New Hampshire Food Bank, the Nutrition Connections from the New Hampshire Corporation conducts the hour-long program, which features recipes, a tour of the market, and \$10 in vouchers to shop at the market.

Registration is required. Email Alyssa.Lemmermann@UNH.edu or call 603 815-2038.

Amid a global pandemic, farmers markets, in general, innovated to continue operations to sustain farms and continue to feed the communities that depend on them. Farmers markets create their own community, fostering direct relationships between customers and vendors, while building a lo-

cal food system. Farmers market hubs support local farms, enhance the local economy, and provide an outlet for small businesses of all kinds.

The 2022 Wilmot Market hosts about 20 full-time and part-time vendors, selling a wide variety of products, like soap and body care, goat products (including ice cream), beef, pork, chicken, eggs, produce, herbs, bakery items, pottery, jewelry, a book on Richard Potter, flowers, no-salt seasonings, note cards, woodworking and needlecrafts, maple syrup, and breakfast too.

After two years of strict guidelines and restrictions to reduce gathering, the market welcomes the return of the education tent and live music. The education tent is a space set aside for community nonprofits to spread their mission.

Veterans shopping at the market may bring an ID to the Merrimack County Conservation tent to receive \$20 per month in market vouchers. The vouchers can be used at any vendor tent. Donations to help continue the veteran's program are welcome and should be mailed directly to Merrimack County Conservation District, 10 Ferry Street Suite 211, Concord NH 03301.


Celebrate New Hampshire Eat Local month by visiting the Wilmot Farmers Market at 9 Kearsarge Valley Road in Wilmot Flat. The market operates rain or shine, from 9 AM to noon, every Saturday through September 24.

For information on vendors and musician schedules, visit WilmotFarmersMarket.com.

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Wilmot Historical Society
History Room Open
Every Saturday Thru September 24
At the Town Office 9 Kearsarge Valley Road
9 – Noon
Docents will be on hand to answer questions and help research your genealogy.
For more info call Liz at 604-496-4883



WILMOT FARMERS MARKET
Every Saturday thru Sept 25th
9am-Noon
Tasty Farm Vittles * Unique Artisan Finds
Breakfast * Live Music
Veterans Program- \$20/month * SNAP Benefits Doubled
Aug 6th Wilmot Library, Aug 13th Merrimack County 4H
Aug 20th Cooking Matters Workshop/Market Tour
registration required alyssa.lemmermann@unh.edu; 603-815-2038
9 KEARSARGE VALLEY ROAD, WILMOT FLAT
www.wilmotfarmersmarket.com

Town of Wilmot **Summer 2022**
Music on the Wilmot Bandstand
Saturdays 6–7:30 p.m. on the Wilmot Town Green



August 6 | Fantastic Partnerz
Dance :: Food: Town of Wilmot

August 13 | FROGZ
Classic rock & folk :: Food: Wilmot Volunteer Fire Company

August 20 | Fern Family Band
Pop & rhythm and blues :: Food: Wilmot Historical Society

August 27 | The DoBros
Americana & bluegrass :: Food: Wilmot Volunteer Fire Company

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