



Friends of Salt Springs Park

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Mark Your Calendars

We have set the dates for our annual volunteer workdays and events. Mark your calendars!

- April 18, Chainsaw Day
- April 25, Trail Day
- July 3, All-American Music Concert
- September 5, Field, Forest & Falls Trail Race
- September 5, Salt Springs Celebration
- November 6, Annual Membership Dinner Meeting

Barn Pavilion Update

We solicited bids for dismantling the barn pavilion and moving and storing the materials at a different park location until we're ready for the next step — rebuilding elsewhere. Benedict Antique Lumber and Stone, of Susquehanna, PA, will begin the work any day now, with completion on or before January 31st.



2020 Board of Directors

At the Friends' Annual Meeting, held Friday, November 8, 2019, Lisa Bistocchi was re-elected to the board of directors for a second three-year term. At the December Board of Directors meeting, officers were elected for one-year terms.

Richard Jordan and Mary Butler left the board at the end of the year, having served out their terms. They will, however, remain on the Finance Committee and the Membership and Marketing Committee, respectively. The 2020 Friends of Salt Springs Park officers and directors, therefore, are

- Thomas Stoll, President
- Tami Noonan, Vice President
- Scott Heckman, Treasurer
- Diane Hawley-Wurth, Secretary
- Directors: Lisa Bistocchi, James Hinds, Tanya Korutz, Barbara McNamara, and Joe Toman

Winter Camping

Some people go camping year-round and, indeed, prefer cold-weather to warm-weather camping. Fewer insects, fewer people, less noise, and more wildlife are some of the reasons — as are an excuse to buy cool gear and bragging rights.

Boy scout troops also tend to camp out year-round, and we've had two such intrepid groups already this year — Troop 5 from Binghamton, NY, and Troop 152 from West Point, PA.



Troop 152 hunkered down at campsite 9 last weekend (January 17 and 18) and enjoyed a long hike with our Environmental Education Coordinator Conchetta Schirra and EE committee member Kelly Finan, who identified animal tracks discovered along the way.

Photos courtesy of Renee Hendrickson.