

Directions to Odd Fellows Hall

From the north, on Rt 28 in Epsom, turn left (east) onto Short Falls Road.

From the south, on Rt 28 in Epsom, turn right (east) onto Short Falls Road.

Drive about 0.9 miles, the Odd Fellows Hall is on the right.

This workshop is sponsored by:

*NH Association of Natural
Resource Scientists*



*New Hampshire Association of Natural Resource Scientists
PO Box 110
Concord, NH 03302*

The New Hampshire Association of Natural Resource Scientists

presents

Herpetology Basics

with an Emphasis on the Reptiles
of Southern New Hampshire



Friday, September 15, 2017

at the

**Odd Fellows Hall
1198 Short Falls Road, Epsom, NH**

and

Bear Brook State Park

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AGENDA

Odd Fellows Hall, Epsom

8:30am - 9am
Registration and Coffee

9am-10:45am
Overview of NH Herps, with an Emphasis
on Reptiles

10:45am-11am
Break

11am – 12noon
Avoiding and Minimizing Impacts of
Development on Herps, and a novel
Mitigation Project

12noon – 12:45pm
Lunch (provided)

Field Session at Bear Brook State Park

12:45pm – 3:30pm
Continue our discussion of species biology
by observing a variety of habitats, and
discuss how herps would use them. Search
for herps, and learn how to handle and
identify them.

CONTINUING EDUCATION

Six (6) contact hours

WORKSHOP DESCRIPTION

New Hampshire is home to six State-listed reptiles, two State-listed amphibians, and five additional Herps of Special Concern. Especially if you live and work in southern New Hampshire, projects that you work on may need to consider avoiding and minimizing impacts to these species. Many projects can take simple steps to benefit and conserve these species. This workshop will provide an overview of the biology and distribution of these species, and the development and maintenance practices that can avoid and minimize impacts to them. The afternoon field session will examine various habitat types and how herps use them. We will actively search for herps, and hand capture and identify those that we find.

PRESENTER

Jim Andrews has been working full time as a herpetologist/wildlife biologist in Vermont since 1990. He coordinates the Vermont Reptile and Amphibian Atlas Project, teaches college level herpetology courses, runs herpetological research and education projects, and provides independent consulting and herpetological survey. Jim works closely with state, federal, and private agencies, including VTrans, to conserve herps and other wildlife species throughout Vermont.

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS

Please wear clothing appropriate for an afternoon in the field, rain or shine. We will visit both upland and wetland habitat, waterproof footwear may be desirable, but not necessary.

**Registration limited to
15 participants!**

REGISTRATION FORM

Herpetology Basics Workshop

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Check # _____

REGISTRATION FEE (please circle)

(Includes lunch)

NHANRS	\$75.00
Students	\$75.00
Non-Members	\$95.00

Box Lunch Options: (Please check one)

___Turkey ___Roast Beef
___Ham ___Veggie

*Please notify us in advance if you have any special needs
in order to participate so we can make
the necessary arrangements.*

**Registration limited to 15 participants.
Pre-registration is required.**

Mail your registration form and check
(payable to NHANRS) by Sept. 5, 2017 to:

**NHANRS
PO Box 110
Concord, NH 03302**

or register online at NHANRS.org

*Please note: You will not be added to the registration
list until payment is received.*

No refunds for cancellations

Contact Iris Altilio with any questions
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