The Friends of the Hammock Board of Directors and the Hammock City Advisory Board meets the second Monday of every month at the Dunedin Community Center, Room 161, 1920 Pinehurst Road at 7 P.M. All members and public are welcome. Friends of the Hammock of Dunedin, Inc. is an IRS-recognized non-profit organization.

Winter 2014 • Have you renewed your membership for 2014?  www.hammockpark.org

THE FUTURE OF THE HAMMOCK
King Engineering has completed the long range management plan for the Hammock and will present their findings and explain what volunteers can do to help accomplish the goals at the Friends of the Hammock Annual Meeting on January 23, 2014. Come learn what can be done to help the endangered Gopher Tortoise colony in the park. Learn about the plans for trails and the strategies to control invasive plants and to restore the Hammock.

Look Up & Down Along Skinner Trail
As you are walking along Skinner Trail look up at the cell tower by the baseball field and watch two eagles as they attempt to build their nest for the spring. Then look down into the water of the east-west channel and watch the antics of ten juvenile loons swimming there.

TWO AIR POTATO PICKUP EVENTS & TWO PICNICS
Mark Your Calendar
Saturday, January 11th & Saturday January 18th

This year you will have two opportunities to help rid the Hammock of the invasive air potato. The events will be held on Saturday, January 11th and Saturday January 18th from 9AM-Noon starting at the main entry picnic shelters. Bags will be provided. Each plastic grocery bag can hold up to 200 air potatoes and with enough volunteers we can collect a record number of the pesky potato. Join us for a hotdog picnic at noon at both events.

50% of the goal of the Hammock Benchmark Project has been reached.
Ten upgraded benches have been installed in the park. Donations to the Friends of the Hammock will help purchase the remaining ten benches and fund the ongoing restoration efforts.

Please renew your membership for 2014 using the form on the other side.
Your generous tax-deductible donation provides continuing support for Hammock projects.
JOIN THE FRIENDS OF THE HAMMOCK

AT THE ANNUAL MEETING
Thursday, January 23, 2014 7:00 P.M.
Dunedin Community Center Elliot Room

Speaker Peter Bottone from King Engineering will discuss the new Hammock Park Management Plan

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YES! I want to become a “Friend of the Hammock” and help preserve this park for future generations!

Here’s my tax-deductible donation payable to Friends of the Hammock:

- Corporate − $40
- Family − $15
- Individual − $10
- Student − $5

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