



April Updates For GAYLA 39 July 15 – 22, 2017

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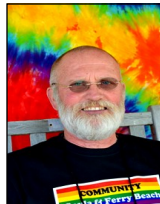
We have some openings for leadership and support positions for GAYLA 39, 40 and beyond and we'd like to have some prospects before we get to GAYLA 39 in July. Serving in any of these volunteer jobs offers an opportunity to deepen your connections with our beloved community and to enjoy a sense of ownership. If you're interested in serving let us know so we can talk to you about the needs and rewards of the jobs.

Contact us at: gayla.at.ferry.beach@gmail.com

- 1 Coordinator for a two year term beginning at the end of GAYLA 39 for planning GAYLA 40**
- Treasurer for a four year term beginning at the end of GAYLA 39**
- Frivs for a one year term beginning this year at GAYLA 39**

Coordinators for GAYLA 39

Doug Atkins



Tom Cowen



Adam Patterson



GAYLA SPRINGTIME GATHERING

Saturday, April 22, 2017

Gathering at 3:00 P.M. and eating around 4:00 P.M.

1082 Montalona Road

Dunbarton, NH 03046

Hosted by Paul Belyea and Doug Atkins

Please bring a dish to share.

RSVP by April 20th

wdsodrms@gsinet.net or datkins@tds.net

603 - 774 - 3843 (Paul's home)



We're just a bit more than three months away from GAYLA 39 and we are urging you to register and start making plans to be with us for another fabulous week at Ferry Beach. It would be wonderful to see our numbers grow for another year. We can do that by inviting first timers to attend, recommitting to return and reaching out to someone we haven't seen in a while. Join us at **GAYLA 39 and help us live the experience.** Register with **Sally Ring at 207.282.4489** or go online at registration@ferrybeach.org. We currently have **42 men registered**. Financial assistance may be available through our Treasurer, Mark Koenig. Contact him at markandtroy@hotmail.com.

Five newbies have registered:

- Wayne Weitz**
- Brian Dustin**
- Tom Muise**
- Edwin Fuller**
- Greg Grippo**

We welcome back two beloved brothers who have been unable to attend for a few years:

Gary Callahan and David Smith

Let's make it "old home week" by having all of our absentee brothers reuniting at GAYLA.



Sewing and Alteration Workshop (AKA - Stitch and Bitch) Offered by Malcolm Kroh

Learn to make or alter a basic item of clothing or accessory. You bring a pattern and materials and Malcolm will help you understand how to follow it and make something beautiful. For performers in need of a dress of a certain size and shape, he will help you make it more flattering to your figure. A couple of sewing machines, a serger and notions will be provided. If you have your own machine please bring it. Machine sewing experience is helpful but not required. Instructions will be offered if needed.



Queen's Afternoon Tea Offered by Christine Burgess

When was the last time you drank tea, brewed just for you, from of a china cup and poured from a silver teapot? You are invited to Afternoon Tea during GAYLA week Lets call it a Queen's Tea and assume that royalty will be coming. Dress up and indulge yourself. Space is limited; ambience is not. **Christine Burgess** is a fixture around Ferry Beach, a great friend of GAYLA and loves tea. She's looking forward to hosting this unique tea party.



Theme Baskets for the Raffle



Donations of theme baskets are requested. Get creative and put together a basket of items that would be most attractive to the GAYLA brothers, the Choral Group or Ferry Beach staff. They all bought raffle tickets at last year's auction. Use your imagine and creativity and help us raise money for the **Helping Hands Fund**. FYI: Pre-Easter baskets of bright colors and unique shapes are available now at Target for \$2.50 each and bags of Easter grass can also be purchased at Target for .50 a bag. If any are left after Easter they'll most likely be marked down 50% or more. Buy one, or two, and fill them with enticing items for the auction.

Let Bill Mitchell know what you'll be donating: lvhist@comcast.net