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The Dartmouth Club of the Upper Valley

August 2017 Newsletter

Tuesday, May 23 Annual DCUV Banquet:

We had an excellent dinner and annual DCUV membership meeting at the Canoe Club Bistro in Hanover with over 100 attending .



The table above included most of the DCUV officers present including outgoing President, Henry Nachman, smiling at the head of the table. Incoming president Chuck Sherman is on the far corner.

After dinner Henry asked those present to vote on the new officers for the coming year. Chuck Sherman was elected as the new DCUV President.

DCUV Officers and Board for 2017-18 year

President	Chuck Sherman '66
Vice President/Alumni Council	Sue Reed '81
Treasurer/Membership	Dennis Kaufman '66
Secretary/Nom. Com. Chair	John Engelman '68
President Emeritus	Henry Nachman '51, Tu '55

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Following the election Christopher Wren D'57 , retired bureau chief and foreign correspondent of the New York Times gave a talk on world politics. He has written five books and presently finishing a new book which will cover Historical Events of the American Revolution.



Our first summer event has already taken place with a hike and picnic to the Class of 66 Lodge on July 29. Attending were Shaun Akhtar '12, Sue Reed '81 Anita Hamalainen '00 (with 4 youngsters) , Sherri Oberg '82, Curt Oberg '78, Martha Beattie '76, and leader Chuck Sherman '66 behind camera

The recently elected Board at its annual retreat meeting held on July 11

The goal of the meeting was to make plans for our new year which started July 1. This included planning future events in the best interests of our membership.

It was also agreed to leave membership dues unchanged but to set up a new category allowing local young alumni who have not yet celebrated their 5th reunion to be members free of charge - in the hopes that this would attract more young alumni.

Upcoming summer events for all will include:

A visit to Sweetland Farms in Norwich on August 6th.

A picnic and outing at the Ledyard Canoe Club on the River with free use of canoes on August 13th at 11 AM

Our annual barbecue for incoming '21s from the Upper Valley on August 20th from Noon to 2PM at the home of Martha Beattie, '76 at 6 N. Balch Street, Hanover.

We also discussed many speakers and selected several to be asked to talk at our third Tuesday monthly receptions which will be starting on Oct. 17 in Moore Hall, north of campus. To see the latest updates and register for any of these events:

visit www.dcu.edu



One of DCUV's great past events last April 29 was **The Annual Seminar** with an eight member panel that spoke on **FOOD GLORIOUS FOOD!**



The seminar was outstanding since foods make delicious business sense to local food entrepreneurs in 2017. Local farmers, artisanal bakers, candy makers, and cheese-makers are tapping the past in the age of the Internet, and changing the food we eat. The Upper Valley is home to a rich and varied food scene, a diverse mix of agriculture, science, cooking, packaging, advertising, and distribution. Brand new young alumni farmers, savvy marketers, an educational non-profit, farmers' market veterans, a confectioner, and national prize-winners!

Many, many thanks to the eight speakers who contributed to the event.

From left to right they are:

Rob Taylor with Taylor Brothers Farm and Sugarhouse, Meriden, NH

Elaine McCabe with Red Kite Candy, Thetford & Bradford VT

Barry Snyder with Salubre Bakery, Hanover, NH

Louisa Spencer with Farnum Hill Cider & Poverty Lane Orchards, Lebanon, NH

Norah Lake, '06 with Sweetland Farm, Norwich, VT

Tim Wilson with Jasper Murdock Ales, Norwich & Rygate VT

Jeremy Stephenson with Springbrook Farm, Farms For City Kids, Reading

John Chapin, '66A with Canoe Club Restaurant

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