



## Trail Crew Alumni Association Update

Updates for alumni and current crew.

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Craig Whiton

### 60 Days and Counting...

My garden is wilting. The bees are working like, well, bees. Their storing what they can because they know what's coming.

The 'Whites' have seen some 40 degree nights so, break out the flannel shirts (Vermont Flannel, of course) and start your planning to attend the TCA annual meeting and reunion.

**Yes, just 60 days until the Reunion!!** Have you made reservations to stay at Joe Dodge Lodge? Have you made dinner reservations?

We'll meet at Pinkham Notch - Saturday, November 12th. I'm proud to say that this is year #7 in a row at this venue for this wonderful event. We will hold with our annual meeting 1pm-4pm, in the Woodchuck Lodge. The meeting is open to all, and all are encouraged to participate.\*

The meeting is followed by a social hour (or two) from 4pm until 6pm. Then, we go over to Pinkham Base Lodge at 6pm for dinner. All of this provides optimum opportunity to rekindle friendships and tell tall tales of trail crew escapades.

Following dinner we have a great line up of presenters (not to be missed) including our own Peter Jensen (Board member/Treasurer), who will speak to us about trail building and what the Trail Crew experience has meant to him over many years as a very successful and respected professional trail builder. See Peter's web site at [www.trailbuilders.com](http://www.trailbuilders.com).

As we have for the past two years, we will be presenting the Golden Axe Award -- in recognition of

significant contribution to Trail Crew. The recipient's name will be added to the plaque which is available to view in the Pinkham Base Lodge.

We've recently re-engaged a significant number of alumni and I'm hoping to see you all at the Reunion!

--Craig Whiton  
President

PS. Watch your mail for this year's **Chips 'N Clippings** shortly after October 1. Please be sure we have your current address by emailing [bhwhiton@maine.rr.com](mailto:bhwhiton@maine.rr.com).

**\* It's your year to volunteer!** We are always **looking for new people to join the TCA Board**. This year is no exception. And, we would really like to get some younger folks involved! The obligations are not extensive and it's a great group of people.

**If you would like to join the Board, please contact me at 207-879-0134.**

**Annual Reunion - Saturday, November 12th**

**Make your Reservation (for room or dinner before 10/15) -  
Phone (603)466-2727!**

**Attend to hear about planning for  
the 100th Anniversary of Trail Crew (2019)!**

For more information visit the Web site.



**Visit the new and improved TCA Web site - [amctca.org](http://amctca.org)!**

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