

NEB Fall Meet
Sept. 13,14,15
in Brentwood, NH



**Hosted
By the Board
of Directors
and the
Brentwood
Committee**

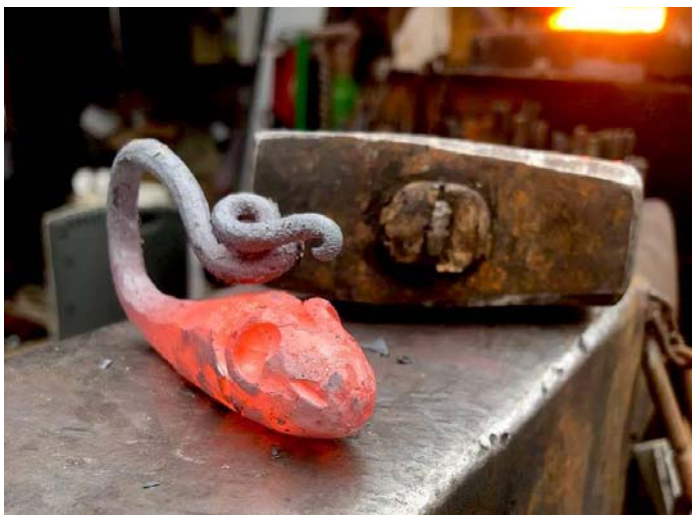
**Featuring the art and style
of
Willow Zietman**



Willow Zietman is an artist blacksmith from Lunenburg, MA. She takes inspiration from plants, animals and fairy tales to make work that is elegant, humorous and often cute. For Willow, blacksmithing is about using traditional techniques to create forms that are surprising when looked at up close. Her work is about the details and quirks that make you laugh or smile.

In addition to blacksmithing, she is also a welder, glassblower, sculptor, and small-scale farmer, raising sheep, goats, ducks and chickens.

Willow is an instructor at The Steel Yard in Providence, RI, and Prospect Hill Forge, in Waltham, MA. She teaches everything from beginner courses to asymmetrical bowtie welded Viking axes.



Some Possible Accommodations

The Fairfield Marriott
138 Portsmouth Ave.
Exeter, NH 03833
(603) 772-7411

Inn by the Bandstand
6 Front St.
Exeter, NH 03833
(603) 772-6302

Hampton Inn Exeter
59 Front St
Exeter, NH 03833
(603) 658-5555

Exeter Inn
90 Front St.
Exeter, NH 03833
(603) 772-5901

Lamies Inn
490 Lafayette Rd.
Hampton, NH 03842
(855) 281-0780

Royale Coach Motor Lodge
509 Lafayette Rd.
Hampton, NH 03842
(603) 926-2466



Holiday Inn Express
11 Rocks Rd.
Seabrook, NH
(603) 474-1150

Holiday Inn
300 Woodbury Ave.
Portsmouth, NH 03801
(603) 431-8000

Best Western Wynwood
580 US Hwy 1 Bypass
Portsmouth, NH 03801
(603) 436-7600

America's Best Inn
383 Woodbury Ave.
Portsmouth, NH 03801
(603) 431-4400

Anchorage Inn
417 Woodbury Ave
Portsmouth, NH 03801
(603) 431-8111

La Quinta Inn & Suites
8 Keewadin Dr
Salem, NH
(603) 893-4722

Motel 6 Portsmouth
3 Gosling Rd
Portsmouth, NH 03801
(603) 334-6606

CAMPING

Our privilege of limited camping is still in effect on site at the facility in the area away from the work session locations. There are no "hook-ups" but the price is right and the neighbors are friendly.



www.visitnh.gov
will lead you to all you might want in planning your trip or call 1-800-386-4664 for NH information.

**Blacksmiths are hungry
and we have that covered!**

Friday Night Supper, Pot Luck

Grills will be on site to cook the meat you bring
Please feel free to bring a side dish to share.



Saturday Free Lunch, Yes there is a free lunch.
The Meet organizers will be providing cold sandwiches, chips, hot or cold beverages and cookies.

Don't forget to bring your NEB coffee mug!

**Saturday Evening Supper,
registration fee covers the cost of this meal**

**Goody Cole's Smokehouse BBQ
Cole Slaw, Baked Beans, Garlic Mash Potato
Cajun Corn, Corn Bread,
Beverages**

(vegetarian available, let us know)



**Sunday Morning Fire House
Pancake Breakfast Hosted by
Bob Menard and provided free by the NEB
Hot off the Griddle Pancakes with Real Maple Syrup
and Sizzling Sausage Links
Orange Juice, Hot Coffee, Milk for the kids.**

Schedule that we hope to adhere to:

Safety Glasses required!!!

In the work areas and green coal

Friday

Set up help welcome, all day!

1:00 – 5:00 pm

Registration @ Recreation Building (look for Registration sign)

Open forge at the Teaching Center, John D'Abate monitor

4:00—5:00 pm

Board of Directors Meeting @ Recreation Building

5:30 – 6:30 pm

Pot luck supper

7:00—9:00 pm

Slide presentations from the demonstrator, Willow Zietman in the Recreation Building

Saturday

7:00 – on going

Complementary Coffee and morning munchies

8:00 – 10:00 am

Registration@ Recreation Building (look for the NEB sign)

Open Forge at the Teaching Center

9:00 – noon

Willow opens her demonstration at the pavilion

Noon – 1:00 pm

Lunch supplied by the Board of Directors

1:00 – 4:00 pm

Demonstration continues at the pavilion

4:00 – 6:00 pm

Socializing

6:00 – 7:30 pm

Supper in the Recreation Building

BBQ catered by Goody Cole's smoke house

7:30 – 8:00 pm

Membership Meeting

8:00 – 9:00

Drawing for the casting raffle and Iron-in the-Hat

9:00 – 10:00

Forging competition

Sunday

7:00—9:00

Pancake breakfast by Bob Menard

8:00 – noon

Open forge at the Teaching Center

9:00 – noon

Willow wraps up her demo at the pavilion

Noon – 3:00 pm

Lunch of what ever is left over. Take-Down and Clean Up, Help if you can!

We hope you enjoyed the program.

We'd like to thank you for your support of our efforts.

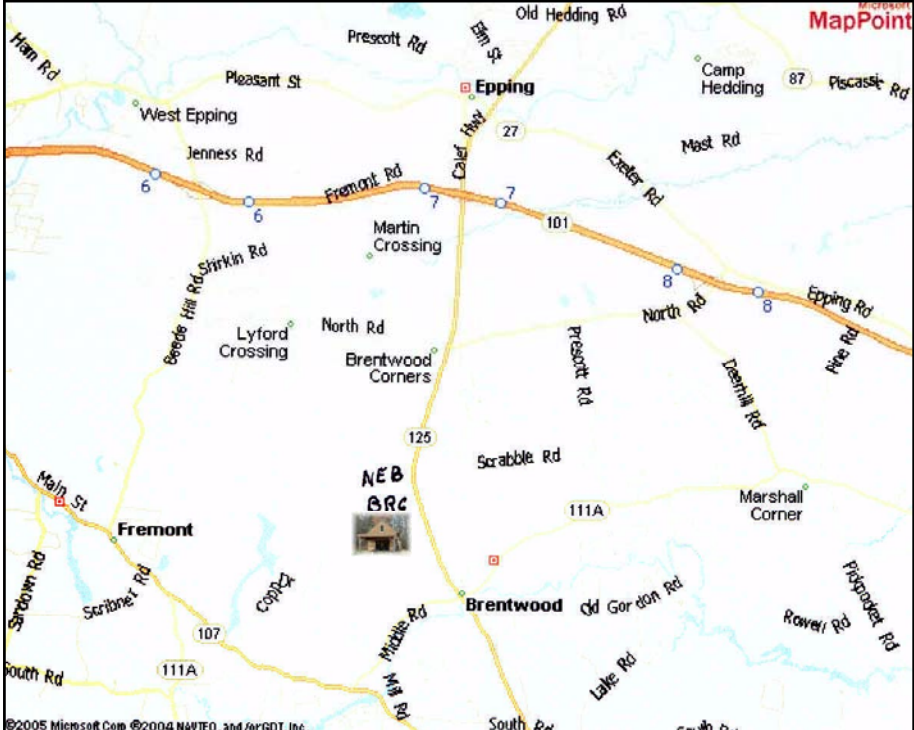


From Northern New England: Take Highway 101 in New Hampshire from either Manchester (Exit 7 east) or Hampton (Exit 2 west). Exit 101 in Epping at Highway 125, Go south to Brentwood about 3 miles, the BRC will be on the right at the anvil sign.

From the south: Take interstate 495 to Haverhill, MA exit 51 to Highway 125 north for 14 miles. After the junction with Rt. 111A (blinking

yellow light) in Brentwood NH continue on 125 about one half mile to BRC on the left at the anvil sign.
A slightly longer alternative route would be to stay on I-93 to Manchester, NH and then East on Rt. 101 to Rt. 125 south. 3 miles BRC on the right.

To any who have yet to visit our Teaching Facility at Brentwood, here are a couple of maps that should help you find your way to this special chance to be a part of our history.



Return to;
Bob Menard
Ball & Chain Forge
56 Warren Ave. suite 106
Portland, ME. 04103-1174

Addressee